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TO MAKE NEW ENGLAND THE IDEAL SUMMER PLAYGROUND FOR COUNTRY

**New Hampshire Hotel Association in Session Here Yesterday
With Representatives from Entire Section, Plan to Bring
Possibilities to the Attention of the Whole Nation Through
Big Advertising Campaign**

Probably the most enthusiastic and far-reaching meeting of the New Hampshire Hotel Association occurred in this city at the Rockingham Hotel on Friday afternoon and evening when seventy-five representative hotel men from Massachusetts, Maine and this state, joined together at their mid-winter meeting to discuss plans for the coming year. While this was the object in a large measure, the meeting resolved itself into one with the object of making New England as a summer resort, putting New England as a whole before the country as an ideal summer playground for the entire country.

Addressed were made by some of the most influential hotel men in these states, committees were appointed to perfect plans for the coming year. The important question of working for an extension of the school vacation until October to allow the people to enjoy September, one of our finest months, was discussed and the members of the association went on record as being heartily in accord of asking legislation on this question.

Of the meeting itself, the members of the association were well satisfied that it was a complete success. That they will do all in their power to place New England as a whole before the entire country as an ideal summer resort and that they will spend large amounts of money in conjunction with the railroads in advertising, was very evident. The hotel men are more enthusiastic than ever over the prospects for the years in the immediate future than ever before.

Each and every one of the seventy-five or more representatives of the association were delighted with their meeting here; with the way they were received at the Rockingham, at the courtesy of the Portsmouth Lodge of Elks and the Portsmouth Athletic Club in opening their doors to them for their entertainment and pleasure.

The meeting opened at 2:00 o'clock at the Rockingham, presided over by

George Q. Patee of this city, president of the New Hampshire Hotel Association. Previous to the opening of the meeting a buffet luncheon was served at the hotel in the style that has made the name of Mr. Patee and Mr. Dudley, manager of the house, famous throughout New England.

There were many special subjects brought up before the meeting, the first was the question of the "Uniform School Law," a movement to have a uniform opening and closing of the schools at a later date, so that the month of September might be in the vacation period.

Plan Advertising Campaign

Advertising and boom New England was the keynote of the meeting and the hotel men went on record for forming a more extensive advertising campaign for not only the state but the entire New England. The association itself made arrangements for the distribution this summer of 20,000 maps of New Hampshire showing the hotel locations and all roads and also voted to send Secretary Rand to the meeting of the Boom New England Association now being formed in Boston, which will be held on Monday.

The chief speaker of the day on this forward movement of the resort interests was Arthur L. Rice, manager of Bandon Hall, Brookline, and President of the Massachusetts Hotel Association. Mr. Rice began by saying:

"Your association has started in the right way. Boom New England! That is the watchword. I have been much interested in the Boston movement for concerted action to this end, and so has Mr. Edward C. Fogg, managing director of the Copley Plaza who is present in the house here today, but too modest to address you. When the matter was first broached Mr. Fogg looked into it and decided it was a business for all New England, and not for a single state, and that it was not a business for hotel interests alone. I fully agree with him.

"We had a good example of what con-

certed action does in the example of Florida this year. In that state the chambers of commerce, I think there were 222, railroad interests and hotel men got together and formed the Florida First Commission. As a result of their advertising of Florida, they have had the biggest winter business on record. Now the Middle West has taken up the idea, and are developing it.

"We can do the same thing in New England for our summer business. It is not necessary for me to tell you about the attractions of New England. We know what they are. Perhaps the rest of the country knows also, but that is not enough for us. We want to keep telling it the story, over and over again. People in the west speak of going 'back east.' We want them to say 'we are going to New England.'"

Turning to the present Boston movement, Mr. Rice told his hearers that the Boston Chamber of Commerce and the various railroad interests were behind it heartily. He then described the method of advertising pursued last year by the Boston & Maine, Maine Central and New Haven, roads, in which they pooled their interests and spent \$125,000 in advertising New England.

"They did not boom any particular locality," he said, "but New England as a whole. These roads have made a proposition, that they continue this work in conjunction with the hotel interests and chambers of commerce, and broaden it for the coming season.

"Printer's ink is the stuff in such a campaign. We learn what we know about countries we would like to visit from what we read of them. As an example of the way Europeans spend money on advertising, I am informed that just before the beginning of the present war, the Hamburg-American steamship company was putting out advertising in Boston alone equal to a whole newspaper page each day.

"There is no more reason why New England should not be made known all

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A STEAMER IS TORPEDOED IN ENGLISH CHANNEL

**Vessel Plying Between Folkestone, Eng.,
and Dieppe, France--Several Hundred
Passengers on Board**

(Special to The Herald)

London, March 25.—The Sussex, a cross-channel passenger boat from Folkestone to Dieppe, was torpedoed on Friday night. The Continental traffic office of the Brighton railroad says that according to reports received by it, all persons on board the boat were saved and the vessel is still afloat.

"I think it probable that there were a number of Americans among the passengers of the Sussex," said Robert P. Skinner, the American consul general in reply to a question by the Associated Press, "because in the last few days my office has issued passports for many Americans going to France."

The General News says the Sussex was torpedoed off Beachy Head. The

Agency gives the number of passengers as 350, a few of whom were British. The vessel was under the command of Captain Moufflet, while the crew numbered 40, mostly French. The Sussex left Folkestone at 1:20 o'clock Friday flying the French flag and met with mishap at 7 o'clock that night.

When the alarm signal was sent out a number of vessels in the vicinity hurried to her assistance, while others rushed under full steam from Dieppe harbor.

The Sussex is owned by the French state railroads, but is managed by the Brighton railroad. Before the war she was employed in the night service between Newhaven and Dieppe, but

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VILLA THOUGHT TO HAVE ESCAPED

**Slips Out of Trap Laid For Him and
Flees Toward Mountains**

(Special to The Herald)

El Paso, March 25.—Pancho Villa, the bandit leader, sought by 12,000 American and Mexican troops in the greatest man hunt on record, is reported to have escaped from the trap set by his pursuers and fled into the Sierra Madre mountains with a chosen band of his "Cobardes"—the "Golden Ones"—of his body guard, he is said to have run the gauntlet of the rapidly converging American and Carranza troops.

To make his escape the bandit leader was reported today to have abandoned to their fate, at least 200 of his followers, caught at El Oso to the east of Naamiquipa. In an attempt to intercept Villa before he can reach the wooded and canyon-riven heights north of Guerrero, Gen. Pershing has sent a strong body of cavalry toward Temascalito on the Mexican Northwestern railway and southward along that road to Tecolotechito. This district is more than 200 miles from Pershing's main base at Columbus, N. M. In this drive through Mexico the Americans are understood to have not lost a single man.

\$60,000 FIRE AT HAVERHILL

**Woolworth's and a Clothing
Store Practically Destroyed**

(Special to The Herald)

Haverhill, March 25.—Nine women were driven into the street and one fireman injured by a fire which practically destroyed the Woolworth Five and Ten Cent store and the clothing store of Rowe and Emerant on Merrimack street today. The fire started in the basement of the Five and Ten Cent store from an unknown cause. The damage is estimated by the police at \$60,000.

FINAL SETTLEMENT MADE.

The controversy between the local Union of Engineers and the Frank Jones Brewing Company was brought to a final settlement on Friday and the matter finally disposed of as recom-

EX-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

Recently said:—"I am getting very tired of publicity"

HEAR REV. F. J. SCOT

Discuss this statement of the Ex-President

SUNDAY NIGHT

**FIRST METHODIST
EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

MILLER AVENUE

An Orchestra led by Mr. George D. Whittier will
give special music.

SHAKE-UP IN MINISTRY

**Von Buelow Offered German
Imperial Chancellorship**

Rome March 25.—The Italian National has announced that the Kaiser has

summoned Princess von Buelow to his headquarters and will offer her the German Ambassador to Italy. The post of Imperial Chancellor is held by Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg. In this newspaper, usually well informed, the officials in Germany involve the Kaiser in Germany, involves the Kaiser in Germany, involves the Kaiser in Germany.



"The best investment I ever made and it only cost \$15."

The Victor-Victrola amuses and caters the children, and makes the family happy.

It brings into the home a wealth of music that is of all proportion to its small cost.

You can get a Victor or Victor-Victrola right away on our easy-payment plan. \$5 to \$200 for a Victor-Victrola. \$10 to \$100 for a Victor.

Come in and see and hear the different styles.

JOSEPH M. HASSETT
115-119 Congress Street
Open Every Evening.

A Dainty New Spring Line of Undermuslins



**Lace and Insertion
Trimmed
Hamburg and Rib-
bon Trimmed**

The New Flesh Muslins

Corset Covers, 89c Gowns, \$1.00, \$1.50

White Muslins

Skirts, \$1.00 to \$4.50; Chemises, \$1.00 to \$2.75; Corset Covers, 25c to \$1.25
Gowns, 50c to \$3.50; Drawers, 25c, 39c and 50c; Combinations, \$1 to \$2.98.

Crepe de Chine Underwear

Flesh and White.

Camisoles, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00. Gowns, \$4.50, \$5.75, \$6.50

Envelope Chemises, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$2.98, \$3.50.

GEORGE B. FRENCH CO

RUSSIAN Smocks and Blouses and Middy Suits For Misses and Children

Russian Smocks in white and rose,
hand smocked; the very latest;
sizes 14, 16, 18 \$2.69

Misses' Russian Blouses, colors blue
and green; sizes 14, 16, 18 \$1.89

Middy Blouses, made from light
weight awning stripe drill, colors
blue and rose, with plain collar and
cuff to correspond \$1.19

Russian Dresses made from a mercer-
ized ratynette, colors blue and rose
with white poplin collar and cuffs,
sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 \$1.19

White Middy Dress, pink, blue and
red, collar and cuffs and emblem
on sleeve; sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 \$1.19

Middy Dress, white blouse with awn-
ing stripe, collar and cuffs and
awning stripe skirt, colors blue and
rose, sizes 8, 10, 12, 14 \$1.19

L. E. Staples, Market St

"THE JOUTH HIGH IN LINE NEW HAMPSHIRE TITLE

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CABLE LETTER

Petrograd, March 23.—The depression which followed the reverses of last summer has been conquered by the Russian people and the nation is full of new confidence which manifests itself everywhere in the press, in public meetings and on the street.

The opening of the new offensive of the legions of the Czar against the German and Austro-Hungarian front has been awaited almost impatiently, because all classes are convinced that it will bring victory and that no enemy will be on Russian soil when Fall comes.

The war against Turkey is considered decided. All papers speak of Armenia as the new Russian province, and predict that the Turkish government will ask for a separate peace within two months.

The Bourso Gazette, one of the most conservative papers says: "Russia today is in a better condition to bring the war to a victorious end than she was a year ago. Our army is humbly improved and we have steadily improved our organization. The supply of guns, small arms and munitions is almost inexhaustible, thanks to the aid of our western allies, Japan and the United States."

"There is no longer the slightest doubt that we can crush our enemies. Our frontiers will not only be immensely extended in Asia Minor, but also to the west. Before the coming summer ends a large part of Germany will be in our possession and we may also have Constantinople, which our allies were not able to take."

"The new offensive on our western front may begin any moment and is absolutely sure of success because of our military superiority and of the fact that the Germans and Austrians have been compelled to thin their lines to ward off crushing defeats on their fronts in France and on the Caucasus."

"Although the lines of the enemy are thin, it will be no easy task to break them because they are strongly fortified. But they will be broken and then the retreat of the Germans and Austrians must become general. They cannot hold the territory they have invaded and the conquered fortresses are of no use to them."

"It is no vague prediction if we say that by August or September our armies will again be on German soil and the plains of Hungary. In the meantime the Germans will also be crushed in the western theatre of war, but even if they should succeed in breaking down the French army, they would not alter the situation as far as we are concerned. Russia is able to carry on the war alone and to win."

WHAT COULD POOR GREECE DO?
BESET ON ALL SIDES, SAYS
RICHARD HARDING DAVIS.

Then Greece, no country is more vulnerable from an attack by sea; and if she offended the Allies, their combined fleets at Malta and Lemnos could staze all her little islands and seaports. If she offended the Kaiser, he would send the Bulgarians into eastern Thrace and take Salonika, from which only two years before Greece had dispossessed them. Her position was indeed most difficult. As the harbor at the Grande Bretagne in Athens told me: "It makes me a headache."

On many a better head than his it had the same effect. King Constantine, because he believed it was best for Greece, wanted to keep his country neutral. But after Venizelos had invited the Allies to make a landing plane, and a base for their armies, at Salonika, Greece was no longer neutral. If our government invited 150,000 German troops to land at Portland, and through Maine invade Canada, our neutrality would be lost. The neutrality of Greece was lost, but Constantine would not see that. He hoped, although 170,000 fighting men are not easy to hide, that the Kaiser also would not see it. It was a very forlorn hope. The Allies also cherished a hope. It was that Constantine not only would look the other way while they slipped across his country, but would cast off all pretense of neutrality and join them. So, as far as was possible, they avoided giving offense. They assisted him in his pretense of neutrality. And that was what caused the situation. It was worthy of a comic opera. Before

KITTERY POINT

Miss Emma Wentworth, a teacher at the Mitchell school, arrived in town today after passing the spring recess with her parents in Scarborough, Me.

Miss Myra Blumfield of Farmington, Me., arrived today to pass a few days with friends in town.

Miss Eleanor Keene of Kittery is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Tobey for a few days.

The B. G. club was very pleasantly entertained by Miss Alice Patch last evening.

Mr. William Brown, Sr., of Kittery was a visitor in town on Friday.

The Bathfunders were pleasantly entertained by Miss Ellen Blake last evening.

Miss Dorothy A. Tobey, a student at Northfield Seminary, East Whitefield, Me., arrived today to pass the Spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Tobey.

Miss Alice Grace of Portsmouth visited her sister, Mrs. Clarence Drew on Friday.

Earl Marble, principal of the Mitchell school arrived today after passing the vacation at his home in Somers, Mass.

Miss Gertrude True of this place, who is nursing a case in Portsmouth, was a visitor in town last evening.

Congregational Church
11 a. m. Morning worship; sermon by the pastor, Topic, "Going Beyond the Present."

1. Sunday school; Miss Julia Duncan superintendent.
Free Baptist Church
1. Sunday school; Mrs. Josephine Frisbee, superintendent.
2. Afternoon service; sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. W. Cummings. Topic, "Going."

First Christian Church
11.15, Junior Christian Endeavor.
12.30, Sunday school; Mrs. Laura Clawson, superintendent.
2. Afternoon service; sermon by the pastor, Rev. W. T. Coffin. Topic, "Faith."

6.15, Intermediate Society.
7. Union Bethel meeting. Topic, "Thinking of Peter."

Elroy S. Moulton who has been restricted to his home with the grippe for two weeks is now able to be out of doors.

FAILURE CAUSES SENSATION

Developments Are Numerous In Assignment of Exeter Man.

The assignment of Edward D. Mayer, proprietor of the Lake Theatre, Exeter, which was made last week, is fast gathering greater proportions than was at first expected, as many developments have come to the public this week.

Assignee John Scammon called another meeting of the creditors Saturday morning at the probate court room, and this week a petition for involuntary bankruptcy has been entered by his creditors. This is returnable March 25. Total liabilities now amount to about \$62,500 and of this sum it is stated that \$22,050 is secured by the mortgage of the Lake Theatre building.

Not only are many prominent business men holders of claims, but also many working people.

Mr. Mayer came to Exeter in 1910. He was later admitted to the New Hampshire bar on a certificate from New York. He was appointed judge of the Exeter municipal court by ex-Governor Samuel D. Fisher in 1913, serving until last year, when he was relieved by Judge J. A. Shute. He erected the Lake Theatre last year and made a deal to close the Exeter Opera House last month, the latter being owned by the Goldstein Brothers.

The trouble is probably causing more sensation than any other of the kind that ever happened in Exeter from the fact that so many of the prominent townspeople are concerned, and that Mayer is so well known.

The business losses in this failure, except in a very few cases, are not large, but in the many instances where money was borrowed from unsuspecting victims, the blow fell with stunning force, one man losing \$4,000 the savings of a life time. Many losers have not yet filed their claims, and probably never will.

No action has as yet been begun against Mayer, but an effort is being made to institute bankruptcy proceedings in the United States district court.

By Jess Willard, Champion.
"I expect to win, and I hope I will be via the knockout route. I'm fit for the battle of my career—and my friends can bank on it that I'll put forth the best that is in me."

"Moran is a dangerous man, and no one holds him in any higher regard than I do. He has a great punch, but I think I can take it several times on the body or jaw—and keep coming for more. I know, too, that Moran can take a great amount of punishment, but when he gets in the way of one of my right hands he may find that it's a different kind of wallop than he's ever stopped before."

"It's going to be a real fight."

By Frank Moran, Challenger.
"I'm going out after Jess from the top of the song—and I am going to win. Something seems to tell me that this old laymaker of mine is going to bring down the champion and give his crown to me."

"Winning on points won't satisfy me. I want to win by a knockout—and I'll devote all my efforts to put over that punch. Willard is the biggest man I've ever fought, but you know Bob Fitzsimmons favorite expression—'bigger they 'ware the 'arder they fall'."

"I'm in the greatest shape I've ever been in. I can go ten rounds—or 60—at top speed. And I'm going just that fast. I'll gain nothing by laying back and waiting for Jess to come to me. At least, that's the way I figure it now. I'll sail right into the big boy and begin beating a tattoo on his stomach. Then, when I've reduced his size to the equal of mine, I'll tickle him on the jaw with 'Little Betsy'—and then the fight will be over."

By Charlie White, Referee.
"The boys must fight. Stalling won't go. And they've got to fight according to the rules. That bars clinching. The fans of New York and other places are paying the boys some big money to see them in a real battle and it's my duty to make the boys earn their money."

JUST BEFORE THE BATTLE

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Joseph W. Simpson of York, who has held the office of state treasurer one term, announces himself as a candidate for re-election to that position and will enter the primaries in June as a candidate. Mr. Simpson is well known to the voters of Maine and especially those resident in this section of the state. He has long been prominent as a Republican and his record as a state official is such as to justify his re-election in the opinion of his friends and supporters.

For any holding of the skin, for skin rashes, chaps, pimples, etc., try Doan's Ointment. 60c at all drug stores.

Try a Want Ad for quick results.

TOO THICK TO CUT

Thirty-Inch Ice on Maine Lakes, and Still Growing.

Rangleley, Me., March 25.—The Rangleley weather prophets who a year ago were setting the date when the ice would leave the various lakes in this region, are today wondering when the ice will stop growing thicker. It is thirty inches thick and still freezing—too thick to cut for domestic use.

There are five feet of snow in the woods, more than at any time during the winter, and still there are signs of more coming. Last year at this time the truck teams were on wheels, travel across the lake was looked on as foolhardy and the sap season was nearly over. This year, nobody as yet has thought of tapping a tree and the travel across the lake is at its best.

A month ago the ice went out of the Carrabassett river. The new ice is now twenty inches thick and the ice-men are reaping a rare harvest. In a number of places where lumbering operations had been stepped the crews have been recalled and business is being rushed while the traveling is good. The summer hotels expect a good business this year, but some of them will open several weeks later than usual.

GREENLAND

Edward G. Clough was a recent Boston visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Frink have returned from nearly three months' stay at the San Remo hotel in New York city.

Miss Esther Brackett is convalescing at the Portsmouth Cottage hospital from a successful surgical operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Samuel Adams and children Priscilla and John Langdon will return to New York city on April 1.

The snow storms of late have prevented the electric cars from running and the high school students have resorted to various ways for transportation, often walking to and from the Plains. It seems certain that a flitney bus will be run about the first of April. This seems to be the next best mode of travel to the electric service.

Miss Dorothy L. Odell of Mount Holyoke college, will come home this week to pass the intermission of ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Odell.

Alfred M. Clough has had the care of A. J. Norton during a week past. Mr. Norton's mental condition requires care from someone constantly.

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAY
Sale Runs From March 24th to April 1st
PORTSMOUTH FURNITURE CO.,
Cor. Deer & Vaughan Sts., Near B. & M. Depot

Rugs Art Squares Rugs

WE WILL OPEN THE SEASON WITH A BIG RUG WEEK SALE

Rugs are advancing in price by leaps and bounds, and some manufacturers have already withdrawn part of their lines owing to the scarcity of dyes and raw materials.

WHOLESALE PRICES SEEM SURE TO ADVANCE TO THE HEIGHT OF RETAIL PRICES.

We are selling these goods at the Old Prices, having bought before the advances.

We can, therefore, guarantee the dyes and the quality of the wool. Let us show you how we do it and you will be convinced.

Now is the time to buy while the prices are low.

This stock of Rugs and Art Squares is the largest ever shown in this city and embraces Oriental Kimlors, Royal Wiltons, Body Brussels, Axminsters of all grades, Hartford Tapestries and many other kinds and qualities.

Let us show you our line and demonstrate their value.

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Rugs Art Squares Rugs

TOO THICK TO CUT BUILDERS SUPPLIES

We have a complete line of Builders' Materials on hand ready for the spring trade. The stock includes Shingles, Eastern Pine and Spruce of all kinds, Interior and Exterior Finish, Porch Materials, Floorings, Wall Board, Cement, Etc. We have just received a lot of White Pine Mouldings which are unsurpassed for use in exterior building of all kinds.

LOWEST PRICES CONSISTENT WITH OUR HIGH STANDARD OF QUALITY.

LITTLEFIELD LUMBER CO.,
63 Green St.

A. P. WENDELL & CO.

H. W. John's Liquid Paints, Harrison's Gold Medal Paint, Senour's Floor Paints, Jap-a-Lac, Varnish Stains, Saprolin Enamel Paint, Bath Tub Enamel, Berry Brothers' Liquid Granite, Red Seal White Lead, Adelite for removing paint or varnish, Black Screen Paint, Carriage and Auto Colors and Varnishes.

ANNOUNCEMENT
TO PARENTS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN
The original Bostonian School of Music has opened a branch school, whereby children from 8 to 16 years of age can secure a musical education at a remarkably low rate. A violin outfit given free to the first ten children in each district taking a full course of lessons at our studio. A postal, and one of our directors will call.

PORTSMOUTH INSTITUTE OF MUSIC
73 Congress St., Franklin Block, Rooms 15 and 16.

"FUEL WITHOUT A FAULT"
Send your orders for it to
THE CONSOLIDATION COAL CO.,
Phones 38 and 39. Chas. W. Gray, Supt.

RUSSIAN FORCES SMASH THROUGH GERMAN LINES

Teuton Defense in the Riga Sector Hit a Hard Blow by Czar's Men—German Counter Near Dvinsk are Successful

Petrograd, March 24.—The official communication from general headquarters issued today:

"The contest is developing in the Riga region. In the Jacobstadt section we followed up yesterday's success, piercing the enemy's line."

"Below, Dvinsk our artillery successfully dispersed German masses near Schischkovo. South of Dvinsk, as far as Lake Dvinsk, there has been a violent artillery and rifle duel."

"In the section of Mintzinsky-Lake Sokly and south of Lake Dvinsk the enemy in a counter-attack took part of the trenches we captured the previous night. In the center of this section there has been violent artillery and rifle fire."

"On the Vilheta-Mojelka front, northwest of Pustovoy and in the region of Lakes Minkozel and Narozh the fighting continues. Southwest of Lake Narozh we repulsed a counter attack and again advanced under a violent bombardment."

"On the south bank of Lake Narozh the Germans fired apocalyptic shells. More to the south, as far as the region of Polesie, there has been a lively cannonade at various places."

"On the front: In the region of the Striba and southwest of Kestaf (southeast of Lemberg) we repulsed an attack, inflicting heavy losses. Further south we advanced a little and fortified the ground gained."

"On the Dnieper, after a fight, we occupied the village of Lachinka-Melovka."

"Black Sea: There is nothing to report."

"Caucasus front: We are harassing the enemy."

No Change Around Verdun

Paris, March 24.—There has been no change in the situation around Verdun since yesterday, according to the war office announcement of this afternoon. West of the Meuse the night was calm. East of the river there were intermittent bombardments."

The text of the statement follows: "In the Arrone district our batteries last night cannonaded with energy the enemy positions. In the wood of Malancourt, near Hill No. 255 we caused the explosion of a mine and occupied the resulting crater."

"West of the River Meuse the night passed quietly. East of the river there was intermittent bombardment in the vicinity of Douaumont and Damvout."

"In the Woëvre district there have been some outbursts of artillery fire in the sections of Boulaiville and Eparzen, both sides taking part."

"There have been no other developments of importance on the rest of the front."

Deadman's Still Under Fire

The official report issued last night says:

"West of the Meuse the bombardment persisted in the region of Malancourt and against our front of Bethincourt, Le Mort Homme and Cumières."

"East of the Meuse and in the Woëvre the artillery action developed a certain intensity. There was no infantry action during the course of the day."

"In the Vosges we bombarded the enemy cantonnements in the environs of Mulbach."

Liquid fire has been the means by which the Germans gained the portions of trenches mentioned in recent official communications, says the Journal des Debats, and the Military Committee of the Chamber of Deputies is inquiring into methods for the protection of the French troops against such fire attacks and the use of a similar weapon in reprisal."

"One can easily understand," says the newspaper "the superiority of this terrible arm over the bayonet. Even though it may expose the man who carries it to the danger of death in case a fragment of shell should strike it, on the other hand, it gives to an attack the power and cruelty to which our communications are bearing witness."

The newspaper adds that France has every means at her disposal for paying the Germans in their own coin, and therefore should employ them."

German Works Smashed

Paris, March 24.—The following official statement was issued by the office:

"North of the Aisne we directed de-

PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding piles, send us your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment, and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Users report immediate relief and speedy cures. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. S. Adams, Box 7, Notre Dame, Ind.

structive fires on the German works on the plateau of Vaucelle."

"In the Argonne we carried out numerous concentrations of our fire on the enemy organizations, the roads and the railways of the eastern Argonne and on the Malancourt wood."

Claim Two More Trenches

Berlin, via London, March 24.—Further successes have been won by the Germans in the vicinity of Haucourt, northwest of Verdun, army headquarters announced today. Two additional trenches having been occupied."

The text of today's official statement by German army headquarters is as follows:

"Western theatre: The violence of the artillery duels increased considerably at times in the Champagne on the Semphing-Sobahn high road, and in the Argonne and in the Meuse district as far as the Moselle."

"Following up our successes of Wednesday, we occupied another couple of trenches west of Haucourt. On this occasion the number of prisoners increased to 32 officers and 579 men."

Italians Break Foe's Lines

Rome, via London, March 24.—The following official communication was issued:

"night the enemy, supported by artil-

"In the Sugana Valley Wednesday

terry, repeatedly attacked but was re-

pulsed with heavy losses, leaving some

prisoners and arms and ammunition in

our hands."

"Also near Ravenna, in the Mezzo

Basil, and on Mr.lli there were at-

tempts by the enemy to advance. On

Mr.lli, after the enemy had been re-

pulsed we counter attacked and broke

into his trenches, throwing many

bombs."

"On several points on the heights

near Gorizia the artillery actions have

grown more intense."

"Our airmen, having observed the

presence of a quantity of rolling stock

along the Isonzo-Adria railway, bom-

barded Oppelha. Sella, Costantini

and Nadresina, and returned unhar-

med, despite a hot artillery fire."

"Enemy airmen have dropped bombs

on Asolo and Telve, but without do-

ing any damage."

REAL ESTATE CONVEYANCES

John W. A. Green, Register.

Following are the conveyances of

real estate in the county of Rocking-

ham recently recorded in the Registry

of Deeds:

Auburn.—Herbert Preston to Emery

H. and Corn E. De Lona, Manchester,

land and buildings, \$1.

Derry.—Eva F. Teague to Nora M.

Looney, land and buildings, \$1.

Longsandy.—Henry C. Smith to

Edgar P. McDonald, land, \$1.

Nottingham.—Mabel S. Clark, Deer-

field, to Jeremiah Chesley, land, \$1.

Mabel H. Merrill, Boston, to Walter

Goffran, Bedford, and Plummer B. Cor-

son, Raymond, standing timber, \$1.

Portsmouth.—Alice B. Paul et al. to

Nellie D. Maddock, land on Park Ave-

nuce, \$1.—John Goodrich to last grantee,

land on Park Avenue, \$1.—Charles H.

Colbath et al. to Frank E. Leavitt,

land on Middle Road, \$1.—Doni Saret

to Benjamin Abramson, land and

buildings on Wash Street \$1.—Last

grantor to Harry German, land and

buildings on Jefferson Street, \$1.—

Percy R. Jefferson to Adolph C. Ander-

son, land and buildings on Lincoln

avenue, \$1.

Salem.—James H. Wilson to Henry D.

Wilson, land and buildings, \$1.

Sandown.—Charles H. Knights to

Thomas R. Shaw, land, \$1.

Seabrook.—Jennie R. Smith, Ames-

bury, to Jeremiah M. Haley, Newbury-

port, salt marsh, \$1.—Morrill A. Col-

lings to Harry S. Small, land and build-

ings, \$1.—Joseph Perkins to Carrie N.

Moreland, land at beach, \$1.

South Hampton.—Henry C. Simonds

to Adele B. Snow, Merrimack, land and

buildings, \$1.

Stratham.—Charles C. Leavitt, Lynn,

Mass., et al. to Joseph G. Barnard,

land, \$1.

U. S. PROBE OF GASOLINE

Washington, March 24.—In its in-

quiry to determine the reason for the

soaring price of gasoline, the quota-

tions on which have jumped fifteen

times in less than a year, the Federal

Trade Commission has supplemented

its probe of the large producing and

distributing concerns by requesting

the brand name, and the Baine test

of same specified.

Jobbers also are being required to

supply information relative to the

transportation charge from the refinery

to the place of delivery, with the

refinery at which the gasoline was pro-

duced and the method of transporta-

tion clearly indicated.

Data to be furnished by the jobbers

is also expected to show: Names of the

jobbers' chief competitors, together

with the principal grade sold by each;

name and location of each tank-wa-

gon station at which the jobber han-

dled gasoline; and the quantity sold

from each station; and the jobbers'

average marketing cost, exclusive of

freight, per gallon, by months in 1915,

together with explanation of the meth-

od by which the marketing cost is de-

termined and the items of cost in-

cluded.

Commissioner W. H. Harris, who is

in special charge of the inquiry, said

today that the required data is being

rapidly compiled and that the prelim-

inary report to Congress on this sub-

ject—the question of cost—will be

ready for submission within four or

five weeks. This will be followed by

other reports on production and dis-

tribution.

DRIVE DODGE BROTHERS CAR

"When motorists who have had years

of experience with many types of cars,

corporations that consider a motor car

wholly from the utility point of view

and look sharply to the dollars and

cents side of first cost and mainte-

nance, and individual buyers who pro-

pose to operate their car primarily for

profit, pick with a noticeable degree

of unanimity a certain make, it is evi-

dence worth the consideration of the

ordinary buyer that the particular car

has exceptional merit. Such buyers

consider not only the investment and

running expense, but appearance, com-

fort, ease of operation and adjustment

and the organization behind the car—

the factory and the local dealer," says

William C. Spear of the Manchester

Auto Garage Co.

"Such an endorsement has been given

the Dodge Brothers' car in Manchester

and vicinity, and an examination of

the following list of names, which in-

cludes only a few selected at random

from nearly 400 individuals, firms and

corporations among those who are in

a position to know, better than the

average, the qualities that are most

desired in a first-class motor car:

Abbott, J. C.

Adams, Chauncey

Archibald, J.

Baker, Eleazar

Baldwin, F. W.

Batchelder, A. A.

Beckwith, H. L.

Belliveau, Arthur

Bickford, C. W.

Bishop, E. S.

Brockett, L. N.

Brien, Dr. A. A. F.

Caldwell, H. D.

Cali, W. S.

Carey, Chas. R.

Chapman, E. S.

Carlson, R. M.

Carter, Harry

Carter, John

Carr & Co., Geo.

Chaplin, Chas.

Chapman, E. L.

Clark, G. H.

Clois, H. B.

Cominsky, A. J.

Combs, Jr., O. M.

Conway, J. J.

Cornwall, E. S.

Crowell, G. Harley

Curtis, Wm.

Cutter, Caroline

Danforth, Dr. Alfred

Davies, E. H.

Day, Chas. M.

Deville, Natch

Corporation.

Dodge, Allen

Dow, Anna R.

Drake, Frank H.

Drew, H. A.

Dunington, Nel-

lie F.

Edgar, R. D.

Ellis, C. L.

Emery, A. A.

Ellison, Jr., Dr. G.

Emery, Edwin C.

Farrell, Wm. J.

Ferris, W. F.

Fetlee, Eliza

NEW ENGLAND IDEAL SUMMER PLAYGROUND

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over the world through advertising

than the resorts in Europe. We know

about the places there because they

are brought to our attention. There

must be something done to make New

England widely known in a way we

have been advertising New England,

but never as one proposition. There

have been some excellent isolated ex-

amples of good advertising by New

England communities. Portland is one.

But that is not enough in the present

instance; I hope you will read some-

body to next Monday's meeting. I am

sure your representatives will get val-

uable information on how we may pro-

ceed to advertise New England as a

whole and what you learn will in the

end do a lot of good to your fine old

state."

The Association appointed an adver-

tising committee, consisting of its sec-

retary, W. G. Rand of Rand's Newport</

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

TELEPHONES:

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Portsmouth, N. H., Saturday, March 25, 1916.



Not a Pressing Issue.

The movement for one-cent postage on drop letters, that is, letters to be delivered in the towns where they are mailed, is fully justified if the cost of handling this class of mail were to be considered by itself. The National One-Cent Letter Postage Association, which has been giving attention to this matter for some time, says that experts in Washington estimate that it costs the government only one-fourth of a cent each to handle drop letters, leaving a profit of one and three-fourths cents on every such letter that goes through the mails.

It is easy to understand that this is more than the government should receive on this class of business if it were to be considered by itself, but when it is remembered that the post-office business as a whole ends each year with a deficit it puts a different face on the matter. There are some classes of parcel post matter which do not pay the cost of handling and transportation. This branch of the service was established for the benefit of the people and without the expectation of profit, and possibly it is no more than fair that where they are given so much on one hand they should be willing to pay a little more than cost on certain other classes of mail.

For many years one cent was the cost of postage on letters for local delivery, and the price was raised to partially offset the losses arising from the postal business as a whole. The present rate is not a hardship when all rates, including the parcel post, are considered, and for this reason the government may not be so prompt to respond to the appeal for reduction as might otherwise be the case. It is giving the people excellent service at less than cost, on the whole, and under these conditions there is little ground for fault-finding.

If one-cent postage on local letters could be restored it would be appreciated, yet it is well in considering the subject to bear in mind all the facts. If this rate were reduced to one cent because that would yield a profit, and all other rates were boosted to a point where they would yield a profit the people would be worse off than they are now and there would be louder complaint.

One-cent postage on local letters would be very acceptable, but the question is hardly important enough to constitute an issue in these stirring and trying times.

Bishop Greer of New York reached his 72d birthday a few days ago and was asked by one of the newspapers if he had any message to send to the public through its columns. "This is what he said: 'The trend of modern life is too materialistic. Intangible things are the indubitable and the invisible are the real. We have forgotten that and we are grasping at material prizes too much and neglecting what are after all the real values of life.' Now who will be the first to rise and call Bishop Greer an old fogey and a 'pessimist'?"

A report from New York states that there is a reaction against the short skirt, the reformers asserting stoutly that the Rainy Day Club has overshoot the mark to such an extent that some of the skirts worn approach closely to the bounds of indecency. Mrs. Thomas A. Edison is at the head of the movement to let women's skirts down a few pegs, and if she and her followers can manage to make the change fashionable the end sought will be promptly accomplished.

As is usually the case when we have a spell of bad weather in this part of the country there is something worse in the West, and so it is not surprising to learn that Indiana and Northern Illinois have been swept by a terrific wind storm accompanied by lightning, snow, sleet and rain. In some places the gale reached the proportions of a cyclone and heavy damage resulted.

President Wilson quickly and emphatically denies the report that Germany had asked the United States to intercede in behalf of peace. The report was the fruit of New York newspaper "enterprise" of which there is too much at times.

The young and thriving state of Oklahoma is disposed to let her light shine, but she does not enjoy an illumination fed by twelve oil geysers, which has been in progress for the last few days.

It will be fortunate if the great body of snow doesn't make as much trouble going as it did in coming and during its protracted stay.

A Boston pastor has been telling how to be happy, "though married." Think of that.

This Picture of the Company of Engine 3, This City, Was Taken at the Time of the Great Boston Fire, 1872.

A reader of the Portsmouth Herald who resides in another city, has kindly furnished this paper with a picture of the firemen on Kearsarge Engine No. 3, taken at the time of the Boston fire in 1872 and a short review of the events connected with the same. Part of the story is taken from a newspaper of that date. The photograph was taken in Boston on Washington street, by Davis Brothers, of this city, which has been enlarged for this publication. Among the firemen from this city who can be distinguished in the picture are Albert Plummer on top of steamer; foreman, Ira C. Seymour, directly below him; Charles Neal at his right; Chief Engineer Stephen L. Marston, with fire hat, and Engineer Charles Mammitt, next to him, and fireman George W. Jones standing on back of steamer. Mr. Jones is still a member of the department and holds the position of engineer on the same steamer.

The following is the record of this event in this city and Boston:

"At half past one o'clock on Sunday morning, November 10, 1872, the following telegram was received at the Eastern depot:

"To T. H. Allen:

"Load up all the spare fire engines at Portsmouth and send them to Boston, special, soon as you can. Answer."

(Signed) C. T. Hatch.

Immediately on receipt of the above, Mayor Marvin was notified who in

turn ordered Chief Engineer Stephen L. Marston and the city marshal to be called and report to him.

The following was the speedy reply of the mayor to the above message: Portsmouth.

"To C. T. Hatch:

"Will come immediately with a steam engine. Meet us on arrival."

(Signed) T. E. O. Marvin.

Mayor of Portsmouth.

At five minutes past two o'clock a. m., the bell on the North church sounded a splitted alarm, which quickly brought the people into the street, the cry of "fire," "fire," "fire" everywhere resounding.

Soon the news flew that a great conflagration was raging in Boston and that assistance had been called from Portsmouth. Scarcely an hour elapsed (it was just 3 o'clock) before a special train was on its way to the city, on board of which was Kearsarge Steam Fire Engine No. 3, and her entire company, the hose carriage, Shoo Fly, the mayor, chief engineer, Asst. Jan and thirty members of the department which included six men from No. 1, five of No. 2, one of No. 4, and six of Hook and Ladder No. 1, with Ex-Chief Engineer and Foreman James A. Waterhouse, clerk Willis L. Hilditch and members of the press.

The train arrived at the Eastern depot in Boston at 4:15 a. m., and soon the relief was on the run to the scene of the fire which was quickly reached,

the steamer and men being ordered to a reservoir in Court Square and hose run from there to the corner of Milk and Washington streets, and commenced playing at 5:30 a. m. After working from this point for more than several hours (refreshments being served in the meantime) the Portsmouth relief was ordered to the corner of Milk and Washington streets where more efficient work was done. Our men labored until 3:30 p. m., when they were ordered home, refreshments being then served at the City Hall dining rooms.

An early edition of the Boston Advertiser said, "The Kearsarge arrived just in time to help save a portion of the Transcript building, and the Old South church. When the boys assured the anxious sexton that the church was safe he lifted up his hands and devoutly thanked God."

The Portsmouth relief reached the depot in Boston on their return from the fire shortly before 4 p. m., and at 5 o'clock a train arrived from Portsmouth with members of the Hook and Ladder Company on board, together with a barrel of crackers and a box of cheese for our men, which was quickly devoured. At 9:15 Sunday night, the boys and machines reached Portsmouth, no accident having occurred. Every man of them was a hero, whose helping hands and strength saved the historical, venerable and venerated Old South, which but for their efforts might then have passed into memory."

PEOPLES' OPINION

Professor Brown Makes a Reply

The Editor of the Portsmouth Herald: I have received from Mr. H. N. Bowler, of Kittery, a marked copy of your issue of March 20, which contains Mr. Bowler's somewhat unguarded statements on my address of March 19, given at Wentworth Hall, Kittery. In my lecture, "The Creation Story," I quoted with brief comment, Psalm 53, verse 1: "The fool hath said in his heart there is no God." For this quotation from the Bible, I have no apology to offer. I am sorry, however, to have offended by it any one thoughtful person who honored me by his presence at my lecture. Disregarding entirely the personal element in my office's communication, I wish briefly to consider the offending passage, in the light of modern thought.

Fools are of two kinds—natural, born and self-made. The fool of the Bible is of the latter sort—one whose natural or spiritual judgments are wrong. To such a one, the Psalmist says, there is no God. The following classes of persons often deny the existence of a Supreme Being: Those who are living a life of sin, to whom the wish is father to the thought; those who suppose that the God idea stands for a sort of oriental monarch on a throne, in a distant heaven, and who have not learned that the real God of things is always present and immanent; and some of those who call themselves agnostics, who believe that no absolute knowledge is possible to human minds.

My critic should not bring forward Darwin, Haeckel and Spencer as proof opposed to a rational idea of God. Says Darwin: "There is grandeur in this view of life with its several powers, having been originally breathed by the Creator into a few forms—or into one." Here are Haeckel's words: "Monism in its widest sense recognizes one soul substance in the universe, which is called God and nature. It holds, with Goethe, that matter cannot exist and be operative without spirit." Spencer, in his Synthetic Philosophy, emphatically affirms the Absolute. "These statements," while they do not represent the highest Christian conception of our Father in Heaven, do clearly recognize the Higher Power, to which I referred.

Now, as fair-minded men, why should we believe in God? First, on account of the universality of the idea. The wisest man calls on God in the time of his extremity. Modern thought, everywhere, is decidedly away from materialism in philosophy. The great Bergson in France, Sir Oliver Lodge in England and Albert in Germany express the present trend. The fact that the God idea is a relic of fetishism is distinctly favorable to belief, for it shows that the notion is inherent in human nature and not a mere ecclesiastical doctrine introduced by priestcraft. Secondly, although the reality of

God cannot be proved, metaphysically, that reality is the only working hypothesis on which rational thinking can base its conclusion. Theistic evolution affirms a controlling Mind. The universe is a cosmos, not a chaos. Every acceptable scientific hypothesis we learn, must be consistent with all the facts referred to it; it must fully explain them all; and these facts must be explainable upon no other actual or conceivable hypothesis. The theory of an All Soul animating the material universe meets these demands. Thirdly, the theory of a God and a belief in such a Being works out well in life and practice. Here is the real test of all truth: Men are better, more purposeful, more persistent, more happy, when the theistic idea becomes controlling in their lives. Fourthly, the element of design, seen even in the minutest rock crystal or snowflake, is universal; and this implies a Designer—the conclusion is unavoidable. Fifthly, the element of purpose is seen everywhere. Means are always adapted to desirable and invariable ends. There are no free accidents in nature. The logical order, periodicity, stability, the mind of man requires a cause for things. Herbert Spencer said that the idea of the Absolute is essential to thought. The light of the electric globe can be traced in unbroken series of transformations of energy in the causal power back of the physical world. So can every other phenomenon. Lastly, devout souls love God and feel conscious of His love in return. One cannot love nothing. Millions testify to a real sense of personal communion with the Author of their being. Lady Henry Somerset, in a moment of doubt, thought she heard a voice saying, "Act as if I were, and thou shalt know that I am." The

EXCISE BOARD GIVES TWO HEARINGS

Both on the Illegal Sale of Liquor—Cases Come From Penacook and Lancaster.

The state liquor commissioners gave a hearing on Friday in the case of John Le Valley, proprietor of the Central home in Penacook, and by Michael J. Lowe of Lancaster. Mr. Le Valley is charged with selling liquor on Sunday and Mr. Lowe, who is an alternate delegate-at-large to the St. Louis National Convention, answered to a complaint alleging that he sold liquor without a prescription.

Seven witnesses were heard in the Le Valley case. Policeman Samuel Todd, George Hainville, Excise inspector Charles R. Quinn, Nelson B. Mallet, Thomas A. Daley and Arthur Crane and Mr. Le Valley himself, the last four being called by the defense. The charge was that a resident of Penacook bought liquor in the hotel on a Sunday. The matter was disclosed at a hearing in the local police court.

The Herald contains both the latest foreign and local news.

THE DAILY NEWSPAPER

EVERY YEAR EVERY MONTH EVERY DAY

THE BITTER PART OF FAILURE.

The bitter part of failure is looking back and seeing how it might all have been prevented.

But success is built on the foundation of past mistakes. There are manufacturers who have lost faith in advertising through unwise campaigns.

Some of these have righted the error by finding the correct and profitable way through newspaper advertising.

Others who seek information to guide them are invited to write to the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, World Building, New York.

CURRENT OPINION

Workers Should Receive a Share In Surplus Earnings of Business.

I believe that wherever possible the general method of compensating the worker should be as follows: Say to the employer: "It takes so much money to pay the fixed charges of this business for a year. You receive your wages as compensation for helping to earn the aforesaid charges. If at the end of the year said fixed charges are earned and anything is earned over and above them, then, in addition to your wages, you will receive a percentage of said surplus of earnings." Wherever possible this surplus should be distributed in the form of a security of some kind connected with the business in question, with the understanding that the security is to be retained by the employee for a fixed but reasonable length of time. This, you see, places the worker in the position of being an actual partner.

He is drawing out of the business all the time a certain sum of money for his living expenses in the form of wages and leaving in the business his surplus.—By George W. Perkins, Capitalist.

BORDER PATROL STRENGTHENED

Galveston, March 25.—Major Fanning, today ordered a general strengthening of the border patrol. This was regarded as necessary owing to the appearance of many bands of Mexican marauders near the frontier. The American commander also took steps to strengthen the lines of communication of the expedition in Mexico. Two companies of the 24th Infantry, a Negro regiment, which had arrived at the border from Fort D. A. Russell, were sent to the New Mexican border. Other forces were sent to the four Texas towns of Presidio, Fabens, Matamoros and Del Rio.

VERDUN SET ON FIRE

Berlin, March 25.—Verdun has been set on fire by the German artillery. It was announced today by the war office. Elsewhere on the front there were no events of unusual importance. Many shells have been thrown into Verdun by the Germans to prevent transportation of troops and ammunition to the firing line.

FIRST COMPANY C. A. C. NOTES

On Sunday at 10 a. m. the company will be paid the money due them for paid drills for the two months, ending February 15, 1916.

The following changes in non-commissioned officers has been made:

Corp. H. W. Morrill, promoted to sergeant.

Corp. E. A. Weeks, promoted to sergeant.

Mech. E. H. Holmes, appointed corporal.

Mech. L. H. Gardner, appointed corporal.

Private F. G. Cragin, appointed mechanic.

The following members of the First Company have passed the gunner's examination and have been rated accordingly:

Sergeant E. A. Cass, first class gunner.

Sergeant A. V. Stickles, first class gunner.

Sergeant E. A. Weeks, first class gunner.

Sergeant H. W. Morrill, first class gunner.

Private H. J. Carr, second class gunner.

Sergeant E. A. Weeks having passed the gunner's and plater's examinations, has been appointed chief plater.

Four new men have been enlisted during the last week and several others have signified their intention of becoming members.

The Hay bill, which has just passed in the house of representatives, contains the pay provisions for the National Guard. This means that each enlisted man of the National Guard will receive 25 per cent of the pay of his grade in the regular army, based on attendance of 10 out of 48 drills.

The pay table will be about as follows:

Grade Per Month In Army Per Month In N. G.

Private 15.00 3.75

Corporal 20.00 5.00

Sergeant 32.00 7.50

First Sergeant 46.00 11.25

In addition to the above, a man who qualifies as an expert in the army receives \$5.00 per month extra. Also special pay is given men who qualify as gun pointers, gun commanders, chief platers, observers, gunners in the Coast Artillery branch of the army.

The U. S. army inspection of the First Company C. A. C., will take place on Tuesday, March 28, 1916, at the state armory on Parrot avenue.

At this inspection every article of property in the possession of the company will be checked up by the inspecting officers.

Captain W. H. Wilson, C. A. C., U. S., will interpret for the United States, and Gen. William Sullivan, N. H. G., for the state of New Hampshire.

The public is cordially invited to be present at this inspection on Tuesday evening.

GERMAN COMMERCE RAIDER SUNK

British Merchantman Also Lost During Naval Engagement.

(Special to The Herald)

Berlin, March 25.—The German commerce raider Orla and the armed British merchant ship Alcantara, have been sunk in the North Sea in a naval battle. It was announced today by the Admiralty. The former ship was disguised as a Norwegian merchantman. The statement of the Admiralty follows: "An engagement occurred on February 23 in the North Sea between the armed German raider Orla, disguised as a Norwegian merchantman and the armed British merchantman Alcantara. The engagement resulted in the loss of both vessels. The German ship was sunk by gunfire and the other apparently by a torpedo.

DOMINION LINER SUNK

The Englishman Was on Way From England to Portland, Me.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, March 25.—The Dominion line Englishman, 5,275 tons, 3 days out from Avonmouth, England, bound for Portland, Me., has been torpedoed and sunk by a submarine, and four Americans are among the missing, according to a cablegram to the state department today. The four Americans, unaccounted for are Peter McDonald, horse foreman, 68 Cherry street, Boston; George McDonald, 37 Common street, Lawrence, Mass.; P. Buckley, horseman, address unknown, and M. A. Burke, address unknown.

TRANSPORT GOES TO GALVESTON

Navy Department Orders the Hancock South.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, March 25.—The Navy Department today ordered the transport Hancock from Key West, Fla., to Galveston, Texas. No official explanation was given for the movement. The transport will be held at Galveston for any emergency that may arise along the coast of Mexico. Four hundred marines are being held at New Orleans ready for service if needed.

MARRIED IN PHILADELPHIA

Cards have been received in this city announcing the marriage of Lutha A. Pattee, son of George Q. Pattee, and Miss Mabel Pollock, a former teacher in the school department at Kittery. The wedding took place in Philadelphia. They will reside in Washington.

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FORMER SHERIFF DIES AT DOVER

Arrested Kelley, Bank Robber and Murderer, at Montreal.

Former Sheriff George W. Parker, one of the best known residents of Dover, died in that city on Friday.

Mr. Parker was born April 21, 1847. He has been a resident of Dover for many years. He was first engaged in the meat business in one of the stores in the McArdle block on Central avenue. He later engaged in the livery stable business and for a number of years occupied the stable on Central avenue, now owned by Chas. H. Smith.

Mr. Parker was for six years deputy sheriff under Sheriff James E. Hayes and during this time he was in charge of the party that rounded up Joseph Kelley in Montreal, Canada, for the murder of Cashier Steekney of the Somersworth bank. On April 1, 1901 he assumed the office of sheriff of Stratford county, he having been elected the fall before. He was twice re-elected sheriff, serving three terms. During his administration he assumed charge of the Stratford county jail. Mr. Parker was a most efficient officer performing all the duties that came to him in a faithful and impartial manner.

Since retiring from the office of sheriff, he had led a retired life. Mr. Parker was a citizen who was respected and esteemed for his many good qualities.

He was a short member of Olive Branch Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, Stratford, Conn., No. 22, A. F. and A. M., Dover Lodge No. 152, I. O. O. F.

He is survived by a daughter, Miss Jessie L. Parker, assistant librarian of the Dover public library.

MORIN HELD FOR SUPERIOR COURT

Robbed Camp at Londonderry—Caught With Goods at Manchester.

William Morin of Nashua was arraigned before Judge (Giblin) of the police court on Friday afternoon on the charge of breaking and entering and larceny. He was held for the superior court in May and bonds placed at \$400. Morin was arrested by the police of Manchester after the theft at the summer camp of William Manning of Londonderry, where he stole silverware valued at \$21. He was arrested by a police inspector, while in the act of disposing of the property. He pleaded guilty to the lower court and was unable to get bail.

ELIOT MAN WANTS CUSTODY OF CHILD

Foss vs. Lewis Suits Before Dover Court—Couple Divorced Awhile Ago

There was a special hearing at the Stratford County court house, Dover, on Friday in the cases of Abbot B. Foss of Eliot vs. Ethel G. Lewis of Dover and Ethel G. Lewis vs. Abbot B. Foss, before Judge Oliver W. Branch of Manchester. The cases are brought to determine the custody of their ten year old daughter, Emma C. Foss.

Arthur E. Sewall of this city and Aaron B. Cole of Kittery appeared for the plaintiff and Adams and Whittemore of Dover for the defendant.

At the divorce proceedings, held before Judge Branch three years ago, he gave the defendant a divorce decree from the plaintiff and awarded her the custody of the minor child, making provisions for the defendant to see the child and have it in his custody during school vacation. The defendant had the child come to his home in Eliot on Christmas and has refused to allow the child to go back to the custody of the mother and to also petition the court to have the decree of the custody of the child modified. There is also a cross bill for the custody of the child which has been presented to the court by the mother.

The hearing in the case opened before Judge Branch, Attorney Sewall of Portsmouth appeared for Foss and informed the court that his client and the child were not in court. In answer to the court, Attorney Sewall said: "It is a fact that my client refused to come to court this morning."

Attorney Adams: "The wanted the child to visit him in Maine at Christmas vacation. They took her there and refused to bring her back."

Attorney Whittemore said: "It appears to me that Mr. Foss is in contempt of the court and has not treated the counsel fairly. He should be given a lesson that should teach him to obey the order of the court."

Judge Branch said: "I will hear the witnesses that are here and will come back here later and give Mr. Foss a chance to be heard."

Miss Eva May Arlin testified—reside in Dover; an probation officer; knew Mrs. Lewis, whose name before her last marriage was Ethel G. Foss; the home surroundings there are excellent; they are all good people; I know that the child was well cared for.

Have been in Eliot; I did not see the inside of the house but from the outside I should not say that the home was very neat; we were not allowed to enter the house.

Dr. Harry O. Chesley testified—am practicing physician in Dover; am the family physician of Mr. Lewis; have attended Emma C. Foss, have doctor for her ailments and enlarged tonsils; I did not consider that she was in a dangerous condition; I believed that she should attend school and have the operation in vacation; the last time I saw the child was last spring.

Mrs. Ethel G. Lewis testified—was formerly the wife of Abbot Foss; obtained a divorce three years ago; Emma is ten years old; she was a regular attendant at school; she went the entire year in the fourth grade; she was gone all summer each summer vacation; he came after her Friday nights but she did not want to go with him; we did not object to the child going with her father and left the matter with the child to decide.

Mrs. Carrie Reed testified—reside in Eliot, know Mr. Foss and where he lives; have been to his house frequently; I do not think the place a suitable one for a child to be brought up; the house is not very sanitary; it is not clean; it is not a good place to bring a child up where the grandparents are sweating and having conjugal battles.

Samuel J. Reed testified—reside in Eliot, know Mr. Foss and where he resides; have been in his house a great many times; things are not kept up; there is a very dark, gloomy appearance; the inside of the house was untidy; everything seemed to be in disorder about the house. Mr. Foss' parents are old people.

Cross examined by Attorney Sewall—I was there February last, but was not allowed to enter the house; I have not been there very much for four or five years.

Re-direct—The child is not allowed to visit her mother's relatives in Eliot.

Mrs. Annie D. Perry testified—Reside in Eliot, know Mr. Foss the father of the child; have visited the Foss place in Eliot; am acquainted with the conditions inside the house; the house seemed to be in an uproar; everything was cluttered up; the sanitary condition is not good; there are flies there in uncounted numbers in the summer time; I have only seen the child once this winter and that was about two weeks ago.

Judge Branch said: "I will be here next Tuesday, and I expect that Attorney Sewall will have his client here."

This closed the case for the day.

KITTERY

Keep in mind "The Dutch Party" at Westworth hall, Friday evening, March 31st.

Government Street Methodist Church—William M. Forgrave, minister; Miss Berenice (Madden), organist—10 a. m., Sunday school will meet in the vestry; last Sunday the contest stood, Hustlers 139, Rustlers 395. Come and help your side win; be on time so your attendance will count; 11 a. m., morning worship, sermon by the minister; subject: "The Asbury Centenary"; Asbury was the first bishop in Methodism; he did a great deal of his work in New England; 3.30 p. m., Junior Epworth League will meet in the vestry; were your children there last Sunday? Send all that are between 10 and 16 years old; 5 p. m., vesper service; the popular Sunday evening service; come with the crowd; the subject will be "Who's Who in Kittery." Special music by Mrs. Byron Phillips, soloist.

Next Sunday evening the meeting will be held in Wentworth hall and the speaker will be Prof. Henry W. Brown of Colby College, who gave us that famous lecture last Sunday on "The Creation Story"; he will give a lecture closely connected with the last one, the subject being, "Man, the Masterful." Tell your friends about these services! 6 p. m., Epworth League will meet in the vestry; the subject will be, "What New Work Ought Our League Undertake?" Mr. Blackboard will be the leader. We always enjoy having him lead our meeting. Come! The weekly prayer meeting will meet Tuesday evening at 7.30. Let everybody be present.

Second Christian Church, Alexander Graham, minister—Sunday, March 25, 10.30 a. m., preaching, sermon: "The Master's Mission"; 12 m., Sunday school, Barnes and Philanthropic classes; 4 p. m., Christian Endeavor, subject: "Great Home Missions"; Luke 10: 1-20; leaders, Mrs. Grace Moore and Miss Lillian Goodrich; a special program has been prepared for this service; 7 p. m., preaching, sermon: "The Cause of Error."

The drama to have been given at the First Methodist church, North Kittery, on April 7, has been postponed until the evening of the 11th.

Mrs. Thomas Tate has returned to her home in Providence, R. I., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. Edgar Burdham of Woodlawn avenue.

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Attorney Aaron B. Cole was a visitor in Dover on business on Friday.

Mrs. George Frost of the Intervenor was a recent visitor in Somersworth, N. H., the guest of Mrs. Edward Mayd a former resident of this town.

Mrs. Forrest E. Moore of the Junction passed Friday in Lynn, with friends.

The regular meeting of Kittery Grange was held on Friday evening and the first and second degrees were conferred on three candidates. A fine program was given including readings by Mrs. John R. Wentworth, a piano solo

by Miss Irene Kramer, a vocal solo by Mr. Albert L. Sprague, and remarks concerning the work of the order by Frank E. Donnell.

Mr. Albert Boydon, a former resident, now of Lynn, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Christopher Henick of Oak Bank.

Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Woodlawn avenue was a recent visitor with friends in Somersworth, N. H.

Miss Mary Burgh of Newsum avenue passed Friday in Lynn the guest of friends.

Mr. Augustus Stevenson of North Kittery has been appointed to take charge of the membership campaign of the Navy League in this town.

The Riverside Reading Club was pleasantly entertained on Friday afternoon by Mrs. Edgar H. Baker of Otis avenue.

The Portland Evening Express on Thursday printed an interesting pencil sketch of Hon. Horace Mitchell in attendance at the Republican convention in that city.

Miss Eleanor Keene is passing a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Tobey of Kittery Point.

TO THE LADIES

Sugrue has put in a complete line of ladies' hose in colors. For a limited time I will sell the 60c hose for 30c, and the 25c hose for 21c. These are the famous Round Tacket hose and are guaranteed.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Fred S. Towle has been passing the week in Boston.

Attorney Arthur E. Sewall was in Dover on business Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Brennan of Dover was a visitor here on Friday.

Frederick Harmon is passing the week-end in Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. Samuel Peyer has returned from a visit with friends in Boston.

Frank H. Moore of Deer street has returned from a month's vacation in Florida.

Mr. William O. Moltenbray, pianist at the Olympia Theatre is enjoying a vacation.

Nelson Pringle is spending a week with his grandparents in St. John's, N. H.

Miss Arlene Perkins is acting as pianist at the Olympia Theatre for a few weeks.

Miss Arlene McNabb of Mark street left today for a visit to Methuen and Boston.

Albert J. Howe of Boston attended the hotel men's dinner at the Rockingham last evening.

Miss Alice Grant of Newburyport is passing the week-end with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Jennie Quinlan of Lynn, Mass., attended the funeral of Josiah G. Pendexter here on Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Brennan of Dover was here on Friday to attend the funeral of Josiah G. Pendexter.

Mrs. John B. Robbins, mother of Mrs. James B. Pringle, has returned to her home in Cambridge, Mass.

Former Speaker and License Commissioner J. E. Britton of Wolfeboro was here yesterday and attended the hotel men's dinner.

Charles J. Ramsdell of Boston was here yesterday to attend the Hotel Men's meeting and paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ralt.

Mrs. H. L. Magoon of Lancaster, N. H., is the week-end guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. John W. Davis of Lawrence street.

Manager Forge of the Copley-Plaza, Manager Damon of the Nottingham, Manager Rowe of the Bellevue and Manager Davis were among the group of big Boston hotel men at the meeting on Friday in this city.

Mrs. Mary L. Wood of this city has been appointed by Governor Spaulding as a delegate to the 43d annual meeting of the National Congress of Charities and Corrections to be held at Indianapolis May 10-17.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

The W. C. T. U. had a very interesting meeting Friday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. parlor. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Millie Damon Hobbs.

An invitation from Dover Union to participate in their Neal Dow meeting to be held in St. John's M. E. vestry, Dover, Friday, March 31, was accepted and weather permitting a good number will make the trip.

After the business meeting a pleasing program was given including a paper on "Life Sketch of Neal Dow" by Mrs. Millie Hobbs, and "Some Reminiscences of Neal Dow" by Mrs. Leavitt. Other testimonials were given by members of the Union.

BRITISH SHIP SUNK

(Special to The Herald) London March 25.—The British ship Sally has been sunk by a submarine. The crew was saved. The vessel plied between Cardiff and Barbadoes.

UNCLAIMED MAIL.

Mrs. Charlotte Donnell, Mrs. Gertrude Gaskill, Mr. S. C. Eastman, Mr. Mack Hatter.

The Portsmouth Herald sent to some absent son or daughter of Portsmouth, makes a very acceptable gift.

MAY SUBSTITUTE MANUAL LABOR

Instead of Gym Work at Phillips-Exeter Academy.

A novel plan is proposed by the Phillips-Exeter Academy authorities, whereby students who do not wish to take the Spring gymnasium work may have the opportunity to do manual labor with the pick and shovel in building a walk along the river which flows through Plympton Field.

Spring gymnasium work is compulsory for all students not engaged in athletic work in baseball, track, tennis or rowing, and many prefer to work in the open.

A minstrel show will be held early next term the proceeds to go for the purchase of implements. It is reported that the idea is meeting with popular favor by the students.

A STEAMER IS TORPEDOED IN ENGLISH CHANNEL

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following the outbreak of hostilities her run was changed from Folkestone to Dieppe.

The mishap to the Sussex was the first that had happened to any British or French channel boat since the beginning of the war. The Sussex was making her first daylight passage between Folkestone and Dieppe in a fortnight.

The Sussex arrived at Boulogne today listing heavily to starboard. A message to the Ministry of Marine states that the ship was torpedoed without warning. There were a number of Americans on board.

At least fifty some of them Americans, lost their lives in the explosion which damaged the Sussex off the French coast according to survivors who were landed at Dover and who reached London this afternoon. The Sussex was sunk by a German submarine. The lookout on the vessel saw the wake of the torpedo as it sped toward the vessel. Some of the survivors put the list of victims at considerably more than fifty. The dead included a number of women and children. They said there had been between 20 and 30 Americans on the ship. Many of the passengers were wounded by the explosion. One of them, a Miss Baldwin, daughter of a prominent American resident of Paris, was seriously hurt. Twelve Americans were unaccounted for this afternoon.

NAVY YARD NOTES

Vessel Movements

The Burrows has arrived at Smithtown bay.

The D-3 at New London.

The Jacob Jones at Tampa.

The Jupiter at Lambert Point.

The Pittsburgh and Supply at San Francisco.

The Natan at Norfolk.

The Beale has sailed from Norfolk for Philadelphia.

The Glacier from San Francisco for San Pedro.

The Hector from Lambert Point for Boston.

The Nevada from Boston for New York.

The Wheeling from New Orleans for Carmen, Mex.

The Prometheus, which sailed from Cristofal for New York on the 22d instant, is towing the Maumee.

The Mackenzie has been stricken from the navy register.

The name of battleship No. 40 has been changed from California to New Mexico.

Battleship No. 44 has been assigned the name California.

Did Boston Stand for This?

The new United States battleship Nevada, recently launched at Quincy, sailed from the Charlestown navy yard for the Brooklyn navy yard on Thursday. In Brooklyn the Nevada will be supplied with ammunition and torpedoes, will undergo certain alterations and will have some uncompleted work finished. After that it will start upon the regular six months' shakedown cruise, which enables new battleships to get into their sea-going stride. It is said that the Nevada left a week ahead of previous plans.

CEMETERY LOTS

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With increased facilities the subscribers again are prepared to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the cemeteries of the city as may be entrusted to their care. They will also give careful attention to the turfing and grading of them; also to the cleaning of monuments and headstones, and the removal of bodies. In addition to work at the cemeteries they will do turfing and grading in the city on short notice.

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Back in Service

W. F. Caster, a former member of the prison marine guard, who lately completed his enlistment and left for his home in El Paso, Texas, has again entered the service with the rank of corporal and is on duty at the Brooklyn yard barracks.

Four in the Cell.

The labor board issued a call for two riggers and two boys on Friday.

Hard Trip.

The tug Pennacook, with the dry dock engine, did not reach Boston until 3.30 on Friday afternoon, being delayed by bad weather and sea.

Found Dead on Ship

Junior Lieut. Ormand C. Pailthorpe, U. S. N., was found shot to death in his room on board the cruiser, Saratoga at Seattle on Friday.

Will Look at Outside Work

The bureau of construction and repair has issued traveling orders to Robert J. Boyd, chief draftsman, and Frank E. Geisell, leading man in the Industrial Department to visit boat-building plants at South Boston and Bristol, R. I. They will inspect the same in the interest of the construction of government work.

GRAVE FEARS FOR EXPLORER

Lt. Ernest Shackleton and 11 Others Marooned on the Ice Fields.

London, March 25.—Grave fears are felt for the ultimate safety of Lieut. Sir Ernest Shackleton, and 11 members of his Antarctic expedition as a result of the mishap to the expedition ship Aurora, which has left them marooned in the desolate ice waste of the South Polar continent. Dispatches from Melbourne containing the report of J. B. Stenhouse, second in command of the Aurora, states that the whereabouts of the explorer and his companions are unknown and it will probably be months before it is definitely settled whether or not Sir Ernest and his 11 men perished.

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WISH TO CAPTURE STATES

Representative Slayden of Texas Says Mexicans Want New Mexico.

(Special to The Herald) Washington, March 25.—The suggestion of attacks on border towns are part of a plan of Mexicans in and out of the United States to capture New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado and part of Texas, Representative Slayden of Texas, declared in the house today. He said that he did not believe the Mexican defacto government has any part in it, but that it was engineered principally by bandits.

HOSPITAL CORPS SENT SOUTH

Detachment From Portland Forts Goes to Mexico.

Portland, March 25.—Ten members of the army hospital corps who have been stationed at the local forts have been ordered to Mexico. They left Portland this noon, going to Columbus, N. M.

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NATIONAL HOUSE WORKING FOR EARLY ADJOURNMENT

Washington, March 24.—A strong disposition to expedite the business of Congress that an adjournment may be taken by July 1 prevails among the Democratic members of the House. It has even been hinted that an adjournment may be reached as early as June 1, but this idea does not appear feasible to the older members at the time. The Democratic members of the House will hold a caucus this evening to discuss the situation and make an attempt to draw up a programme which will insure the earliest possible adjournment. The plans contemplate an attempt on the part of the House members to get the members of the Senate to take the same viewpoint, but whether the Senate can expedite its business is a matter of doubt, as only four contested questions have been discussed to date and nine appropriations bills are yet to come.

The question will be raised this evening of having the House meet each day at eleven o'clock instead of at noon as has been the custom heretofore, because it is felt that an extra hour each day will go towards alleviating the press of business. It may be that the caucus will decide to lay over to the next session some of the less important measures, as there is a growing feeling that the voters of the United States are asking for action on the matters of vital importance at once. If this be the case, Congress is not likely to give much attention to the minor matters of local or private concern.

Even in the discussion of the rules which were adopted this morning for the debate on the Burnett Immigration bill, the disposition among many of the members was to cut short the debate to the least possible time, and those who are opposed to the measure, asked that it be postponed until the more vital matters are disposed of. Heretofore there has been no evident desire to get through before the early adjournment, when many of the Republicans have predicted that the adjournment will be taken. The business of the House, and more especially the Senate has gone on in a haphazard sort of way, without much having been accomplished. Recently, however, the members have come to realize this fact and are now bending every effort to bring about an early adjournment.

Immigration Bill Up.—At the end of seven hours debate the House will vote on the Burnett Immigration bill. It is a foregone conclusion that the House will pass the bill, and the main interest centres in the size of the vote. Those who have pulled the House declare that there are over 200 votes out of 435 for the bill, a number which may be increased by ten or thirty. Calculations from the same source are to the effect that the House has enough votes to pass the bill over the veto of President, should Mr. Wilson fail to change his mind on this subject.

The possibility of a Presidential veto is being taken into consideration by all sides. Those who oppose the bill are relying on a veto. They point out that as election time draws nearer the pressure upon the President from the anti-restrictionists will be too great to ignore.

Those favoring the bill on the other hand, declare that the present bill is not the same as that which President Wilson vetoed over a year ago. The sections relative to political and religious persecution have been liberalized so that there is now little objection to the bill on this score.

The bill, moreover, has been referred to the people, in the sense that a congressional campaign has been held and the whole matter thoroughly discussed. Furthermore, and this is a consideration of weight—the strength of the immigration movement has grown in the last two years while the opposition has decreased.

So far as is known of the votes of

the Massachusetts delegation, only two members will favor the bill—Gardner and Gillett.

The bill with its literacy test and terms, which Pacific coast congressmen say provide complete exclusion of Asiatics outside of certain excepted classes, was taken up today.

The literacy test comes before Congress again with the record of having been recently vetoed by different Presidents, and the Asiatic exclusion features face the complete disapproval of the Administration, which is much adverse to agitating the question at this time. The Asiatic features are said to be more far-reaching than any ever proposed before, and meet the demands of the Pacific slope for what virtually amounts to complete exclusion.

Underwood Opposes Tariff Board

Senator Oscar W. Underwood of Alabama, former chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means and co-author of the Underwood-Simmons act, the present tariff law, let the Senate know plainly today that he had no sympathy with the idea of a tariff commission, which the Administration favors. The incident occurred over a resolution of Senator Simmons authorizing the publication of statistics of imports, which the Alabama senator favored. Senator Underwood made it plain that his scheme of levying customs duties is exceedingly simple. "No matter what differences in cost of production are," said Senator Underwood, "if you can ascertain the amount of imports of certain goods, and compare them with production and consumption in this country, you have a reasonable basis on which to determine whether the American manufacturer was being driven to the wall or given a monopoly. This talk of sending a set of wise men in Europe to ascertain industrial conditions is as absurd a proposition as hiring a lawyer to practice medicine."

Still Higher Duty on Sugar.—Sixty millions of additional revenue can be obtained from an excise tax of one cent a pound on sugar and half a cent duty in addition to the existing rate, according to Senator Gore of Oklahoma, who studied proceedings in the State Finance Committee today by offering this plan as an amendment to the sugar bill which had come over from the House. The Democrats are aiming to raise one hundred millions of new revenue for general purposes, but the expenses in connection with the Mexican invasion present a new problem. No action was taken and the Gore amendment, but the committee is seriously considering the possibilities and necessity of a bond issue. The Gore plan, added to repeal of the free sugar clause, would yield one hundred millions, but this promises to be far too little to cover military expenses. The Finance Committee let the sugar bill lie over, pending further important discussion.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER'S DOUBLE

Acton, Ind., March 24.—John D. Rockefeller, living here, has answered the proposal of Mrs. Harman Jeannette Thross of Oakland, Cal., whose letter to the oil magnate was printed in Howler papers. But the local John D. says he isn't in any way related to the oil magnate and he couldn't make her dream of a husband and lovely young woman a reality. Instead, he wrote, the widow would have to live in a common hut and wear a calico and a shawl. He said he couldn't scrape up interest on a dollar.

LAD MAKES OWN SPECTACLES

Indianapolis, March 24.—The ingenuity of a six-year-old school boy won the hearts of the city health board and as a result the lad won a nice pair of spectacles. While examining the eye-

sight of school children the inspectors found the lad was short-sighted. They ordered his parents to buy glasses for him.

After several days elapsed the lad showed up at school with a pair of home-made spectacles. His folks were too poor to buy any. He had twisted brown wire about two pieces of glass he had broken from a milk bottle. The little fellow stoutly contended he could see very good with his own specs. But the health board has ordered him a pair at the city's expense.

SCIENCE—INDUSTRY.

Gasoline From Gas.

In Pennsylvania a company has erected a plant for the extraction of the gasoline from natural gas and has contracted for the gas from about 400 wells. The wells are small, the total production being less than a million cubic feet a day, but they have been producing for a long time, and as the gas comes from a small 100 feet in thickness their life is said to be good for an indefinite time.

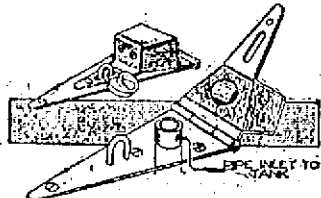
The gasoline company puts the gas through its compressors and then sells it to a large factory near by, the taking out of the gasoline not injuring the gas in any way for fuel. The gas is put under 300 pounds pressure to the square inch, which forces out the gasoline, which is carried into tanks and blended with naphtha, rendering the gasoline safe to ship, as without this blending it would be as dangerous as nitroglycerin owing to its high gravity.

Placer Gold Along Snake River.

For many years gold has been known to exist in the valley of Snake river, particularly in the part of it that passes through southern Idaho. As early as 1802 prospectors are reported to have extracted gold from gravel in Jackson hole. It occurs at many places both on the present river bars and on terraces along the river representing ancient levels of the water, but it does not occur in quantity so great as to support large operations with marked financial success, though some miners have made a small amount of money. Probably the most extensive workings were in southern Idaho, in the vicinity of Rupert, Minidoka and American Falls.—United States Geological Survey.

Look For Gasoline Tank.

Having trouble by thefts of gasoline from the tank in my launch, I made the following device to prevent them, which proved very effective, writes a correspondent of Popular Mechanics. A strap-ling about twelve inches long was procured, and on one wing, near the outer end, I fastened a staple made of a large nail, and near the center a large hole was drilled to fit over the pipe, or opening, to the tank. The



FILED PIPE COVER LOCK ON GAUGE GASOLINE TANK.

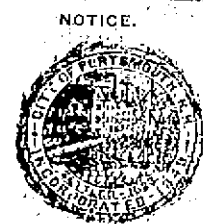
other wing of the hinge was bent to the shape shown, and an oak block was fastened in the bend with wood screws. A hole was bored in the block to fit over the end of the pipe. A slot was cut in the same wing at the end to receive the staple. In turning the wing over to cover the pipe end the staple was brought into position for a padlock. After locking the device most of the screws are covered, so that it is almost impossible to remove them without taking off the lock.

Finding Specific Gravity.

The specific gravity of oil may be ascertained by taking a glass vessel and weighing it; then weight into it an ounce of water and mark the point where the water reaches; then fill to this mark with oil and weigh it. Express the weight of the oil as a decimal part of an ounce, which will be the specific gravity of the oil. That of grease may be obtained in the same manner, pouring the melted grease into the vessel.

Treadmills.

Water mills were used in the time of Julius Caesar. In Roman times slaves were condemned to the corn mills, which were propelled by winds. Afterward cattle were used. In the third and fourth centuries there were as many as 300 cattle mills in Rome.



Any person in Portsmouth that pays a poll tax in other cities or towns, must notify the Board of Assessors on or before April 1, 1916. Otherwise they will be assessed in this City.

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TO SELL ASTOR NEWSPAPER PLANT

London, March 24.—The premises and plant of the Pall Mall Gazette, the London Evening Paper owned by William Waldorf Astor (now Lord Astor) for the past twenty years will be sold at auction on Tuesday, the 25th.

The sale marks the definite severance of Lord Astor, now that he has been enabled, in association with the newspaper world. It also marks the end of one of the most interesting chapters in English Journalism and incidentally, points the way by which any other American millionaire, with the desire, and unlimited dollars at his disposal may find entrance to the British peerage.

When Mr. Astor first came over here from America and had decided to become a naturalized British subject, one of the first steps he took was to buy the Pall Mall Gazette, the London evening paper, which in "Thank you" words was "written by gentlemen for gentlemen." It was not intended as a good financial investment. Mr. Astor's main idea was to work himself into favor with the Tory party.

Previously under the editorship of such famous men as Frederick Greenwood, Lord Morley (then John Morley) Lord Milner, and W. T. Stead, the paper had followed a more or less independent policy, but once under the control of Mr. Astor, it became the most staunch supporter of aristocratic privilege and the old nobility.

The West End clubs were delighted and with the dinners and receptions the new proprietor gave at his palatial house in Carlton House Terrace he soon became one of the most popular members of the "Upper Ten." For fifteen years Mr. Astor poured the dollars without stint into the coffers of the Pall Mall Gazette. In the period mentioned it is estimated that he spent altogether \$1,500,000. Since the beginning of the war he has given \$750,000 to war charities. Now he has been made a Baron, he has cut off all unnecessary expenses and is settling others a fine example in thrift.

The Pall Mall Gazette itself was acquired some little time ago by an adventurous member of parliament at the price of an old song. But Astor has done with it. He has got what he wanted and in the middle of the great war, when the whole newspaper world in England is on the edge of a crisis, the new Lord Astor has cried out "Enough."

Lord Astor began his career as an English newspaper proprietor with flying colors. His first editor was Henry John Cokayne Cust, heir to the Barony of Howland. Money was spent lavishly and recklessly. One day Mr. Cust had the happy idea to interview the Sultan of Turkey. He chartered a special train across Europe, and arriving in Constantinople with the Astor gold, he managed to finance his way into the presence of Abdul-Hamid.

Next, this enterprising editor, hired such men as the late Lord Salisbury, the Duke of Devonshire, Arthur Balfour and Joseph Chamberlain, to write special articles at the rate of \$1000 a column. The other London newspapers gaped with wonder but the game went on merrily until the year's balance sheet was made out. Then Astor and Cust parted company.

Sir Douglas Straight, a retired Indian judge, and one of the most popular men in London Society, was the next editor. The paper lapses into comparative obscurity, notwithstanding the fact that the expenses exceeded the income by about \$500,000 yearly. Then came another effort to retrieve the process of decay. F. J. Higginsbottom, a "staid, sound and

solid" journalist was appointed to the editorial chair; but Astor's man, of business, a London lawyer, was really in command. The expedients tried were novel, but ineffective. The drain on the Astor coffers continued.

Then came the most dramatic period of all in the history of the Pall Mall Gazette. J. L. Carvin, regarded by many as the most brilliant journalist in England, came in with a loud flourish of trumpets as the successor of Greenwood and Morley. He began by gathering around him some of the best known journalists in London. The circulation of the paper rose, but the advertisements did not come proportionately. At the end of the year the balance against Astor was still heavily on the wrong side.

It should be explained that Mr. Carvin, before undertaking to run the "Pall Mall Gazette," had brought out of the ditch, The Observer, the oldest Sunday paper in London. When he became editor of this weekly journal, Lord Northcliffe was the proprietor, and Mr. Carvin raised the circulation from 10,000 to 100,000 in a comparatively short time. Then, report says, Lord Northcliffe and his editor differed over the question of tariff reform, with the result that Lord Northcliffe gave Carvin the chance of finding a new proprietor. The latter, a staunch party man, went to the Prime Minister, Arthur Balfour. Mr. Balfour approached Astor and Astor bought the Observer for \$250,000.

The prosperity of The Observer continued, but even under Mr. Carvin, the "Pall Mall Gazette" never looked like becoming a permanent success. The truth is the day of the penny (two cent) evening newspaper in London is over. So after a brilliant effort, Mr. Carvin resigned from the "Pall Mall," and is devoting his whole energies to The Observer. About the same time, Lord Astor decided to cut his loss on the "Pall Mall," hence the forthcoming sale.

The price paid for his title by the great New York landowner is far above the average. The "Pall Mall Gazette" cost him at least \$1,500,000 and in addition since he came over here, he has given to various charitable institutions at least another \$90,000,000. It is said that under the new income tax he is paying into the British Exchequer some \$350,000 a year.

WILL BE SOME BOWLING MATCH

Captain Chandler Matched Against Kelley of Engine 1.

The West End bowling alleys are liable to be heated up some in the coming match of ten springs between Dennis Kelley of Engine No. 1 and Capt. George Chandler of Ladder 1. This is going to be some match and the Captain says he is going to make the West End fireman travel as he never did before. Kelley says he has the gallant Captain stopped before he starts.

Anyhow, there will be some fancy work with the candlepins and Captain Chandler's admirers will pack the place to the doors and are flashing all their spare cash on their favorites. Should Kelley succeed in carrying off the honors on his home grounds they will do battle again on one of the downtown alleys.

ALL LAW-ABIDING CITIZENS.

The selectmen have not, as yet, appointed the half dozen constables necessary to the town's welfare, but no wireless dispatches have been received at either of our wireless stations that crime has been on the increase as a result. Bradford S. Woodward, as deputy sheriff and elected constable, is the law unto himself and comprises the entire police force of a town of 2300 inhabitants. But we should worry! For more than a year we've had the slightest look-up of any town in the state, all nicely caged in with steel bars, and iron bunks, but never a prisoner to enjoy the novelty of being the first to occupy the new quarters.

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ICE BUSINESS MAKES TROUBLE

Kittery Point Men Bring Case to Supreme Court.

A hearing was held on Thursday before Associate Justice Bird of the supreme court on the bill in equity brought by J. Chester Cutler of Kittery, in which action the plaintiff seeks to have the defendant restrained from going into the ice business. The plaintiff in this action, which is a York county case, has an ice house on Clarkson Pond in Kittery and has in different seasons filled the "ice house." An attachment was placed on the building by Roberts and the latter has been cutting the ice instead. Unfair competition is alleged. The parties at the hearing Thursday afternoon in Judge Bird's chambers agreed to have the whole case go over to the May term of the supreme court for York county. The plaintiff was represented by Aaron B. Cole of Eliot, and the defendant by Arthur G. Sewall of York.

YORK SHORE COMPANY CAN ISSUE BONDS

The public utilities commission of Maine on Friday rendered a decision on the application of the York Shore Water company for approval of issue of securities declaring that the company is authorized to issue its mortgage bonds, dated Oct. 1, 1913, payable Oct. 1, 1933, of the aggregate par value of \$30,000 in denominations of \$1,000 each, bearing interest at 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and to sell the same, at not less than 75 and accrued interest, the proceeds thereof to be used for the payment of its mortgage bonds dated April 1, 1910, and payable April 1, 1916, and not otherwise unless authorized by the commission.

The decision also stipulates that the York Shore Water company shall report to the public utilities commission in detail, supported by the affidavit of one of its principal officers, its doings hereunder on or before the first day of June, 1916, and thereafter, if and as ordered.

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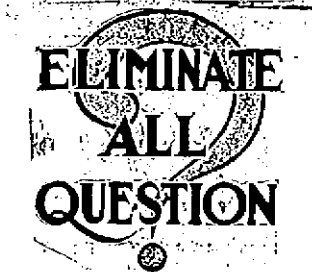
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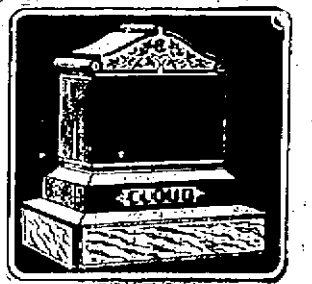


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STRONG COMMITTEE OF NAVY LEAGUE FOR PORTSMOUTH

Washington, D. C., March 24.—A strong section of the Membership Committee has been appointed to take charge of the campaign of the Navy League in Portsmouth, New Hampshire. Those who have been appointed to the committee are: John H. Bartlett, John K. Bates, Jas. H. Dow, Chas. W. Brewster, E. H. Eastman, Thos. Entwistle, Thos. F. Flanagan, Martin Hoyt, Ralph W. Jenkins, Alfred O. Larkin, Sherman T. Newton, Goodwin B. Philbrick, Fred M. Sise, A. Stevenson, Dr. Fred S. Towle, Wallis D. Walker and Jackson M. Washburn. They will help to represent that organization in their district in the active, aggressive campaign which it is carrying on in all parts of the country in behalf of adequate preparedness against invasion and disaster. They will cooperate with the members of the Navy League's state committee for New Hampshire and will lend their energetic and enthusiastic support to the work under taken to consolidate and organize the overwhelming sentiment of thinking people of that state in behalf of measures of adequate preparedness. A special letter has been forwarded these gentlemen by the Navy League, notifying them of their appointments.

The letters are signed by Colonel Robert M. Thompson, president of the League, and read as follows:

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the instructions of the Board of Directors of the Navy League, I am hereby appointing you a member of this Membership Committee of that organization.

In the present days of international strife and hysteria, we believe that it is one of the first duties of every good citizen to work with all his might to insure the provision of such naval defenses for this country as shall render our country strong enough to avoid being drawn into the maelstrom of war, or shall render it certain that no hostile army shall ever set foot on our soil should the worst come and our nation be unavoidably drawn into the strife.

We believe that the best organized and most potent of the forces working for adequate national defenses is the Navy League, and therefore do not hesitate to urge you as a citizen and a patriot, to lend us your fullest and most enthusiastic aid and co-operation in our work to insure our country absolutely against the possibility of invasion by a foreign foe.

The Secretary of the committee to which you have been assigned will communicate with you shortly in regard to the particular manner in which your assistance will be of most value. May we not count upon you to the fullest extent in this great patriotic work?

(Signed) Robert M. Thompson,
President of the Navy League of the U. S.

Great interest is felt all over the country in the Navy League's sensational campaign in behalf of adequate national defense which has done so much toward the awakening of the American people to the danger of their unprepared condition.

The Navy League is not in any sense a militarist organization. Since its foundation more than fourteen years ago it has been foremost in the work for international peace. Its president, General Horace Porter was twice delegate to the World's Peace Conference at the Hague, and in all its actions and utterances the League has worked for and advocated peace, but until such a time as the possibility of war is reduced to much below its present ratio it believes that it would be just as unwise for the United States to allow its navy to deteriorate as it would be for a householder to allow his fire insurance policy to lapse because he disapproved of fires and hoped there would be no more of them.

The Navy League holds that this country's best defense lies in the three thousand or more miles of water which separate it from the nearest of its powerful neighbors. Should war ever be forced upon this country, the Navy League holds, its battles ought not to be fought by armies on American soil, but by trained fighting men in ships, far out on the ocean where destruction of life and property will be kept to a minimum, and the savage business of killing will be kept as far as possible from America's homes and shores.

To this end it has always advocated a navy second to none, which will be able to guarantee absolutely that no hostile army will be able ever to effect a landing upon the shores of our country, and in this demand it believes it is backed by unanimous public opinion all over the country. The most effective testimony to the popularity of the cause of the Navy League with representative citizens all over the country is the manner in which its membership has increased by leaps and bounds within the past few months until at present it numbers upon its rolls more than 50,000 members.

The Navy League is the oldest and best organized of the National Defense societies. It was founded and chartered in 1902, and among its officers and members are Admiral Dewey, Theodore Roosevelt, Cardinal Gibbons, Rt. Reverend Philip Rhinelander and Dr. Lyman Abbott, while many of America's most prominent women are among the members of its Woman's Section. Its

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accounts are and always have been opened to inspection. The headquarters of the Navy League are in the Southern Building in Washington, D. C., and further information will be gladly furnished upon application to the Secretary.

SUNDAY SERVICES

Advent Christian Church
Hanover St.
Irving F. Barnes pastor.
10.30 a. m. Subject "The Pearl White City, that John Saw Coming Down." (By request.)
12.15 Sunday School.
6.00 Junior League Society.
7.15 p. m. Old Fashioned song service, interspersed with special selections by choir and male chorus, followed with short sermon, on Rolling the Snow Ball of Sin.

Court Street Christian Church
Rev. Percy Warren Caswell pastor.
Morning worship with sermon by the pastor at 10.30. Subject "The Larger Vision."
Bible School session at 12 o'clock.
Onward Class meets at same hour.
Praise and social service at 7.30.
Short sermon by the pastor.
Mid week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30.
If you have a church home we cordially invite you to attend our services. All seats are free.

Middle Street Baptist Church
These notices are a reminder to those whose church home this is, and an invitation to those who do not attend elsewhere.
Morning service at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor.
Sunday School at noon in the chapel.
New scholars welcome. Men's Class holds separate session in the Annex. Men welcome.
Evening service at 7.30. Song service followed by address by the pastor on "Wisdom or Foolishness." After meeting in the Guild Room. All welcome.
Monday 7.30 p. m. King's Daughters meet in the chapel.
Tuesday 4.00 p. m. Walker Mission Band in the Guild room. 7.00 p. m. Pastor's instruction service. 7.30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 5.30 p. m. Training class led by Mrs. A. O. Benfield.
Thursday 4.15 p. m. Pastor's class for boys and girls twelve to sixteen.
Friday 7.45 p. m. Prayer meeting in the chapel.

Pearl Street People's Baptist Church
Rev. John L. Davis minister.
11 a. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject "The Sinner Cleansed."
12 noon. Sunday school in charge of Supl. H. B. Burton.
7 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Willam D. Blanks president.
8 p. m. Sermon by pastor Davis. Subject "Little Crowns and How to Win Them."
Selections by the choir:
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Dear Lord Accept this Heart of Mine
..... Emerson
O How Amiable Are Thy Dwellings
..... Maunier
Seats free. All are welcome.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, No. 2 Market Street.
Services: Sunday morning at 10.45, Sunday evening at 7.30 and Wednesday evening at 7.45. All are welcome. Subject for March 26, "Reality."
Sunday School at 11.50 a. m.
A free reading room is maintained at the same address where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or procured. Open to the public daily except Sundays and holidays from 2 to 4 p. m.

Unitarian Church
Morning services at 10.30. Preaching by Rev. L. W. Atwood in exchange with Mr. Gooding.
Sunday school at chapel on Court street at noon.
The choir will render the following musical numbers:
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Christian Church Rye
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Morning worship at 10.30. Preaching by pastor. "Running to Obtain."
Bible school at 11.45.
Evening service at 7.30. Address "The Second Mill."
Mid week service Tuesday evening at 7.30. Subject "The All of the Master."
Ladies' Social and supper Thursday evening at 6.30.

Church of Christ, Universalist
Rev. Luther W. Atwood minister.
Morning worship 10.30. Sermon by the Rev. Alfred Gooding.
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Thursday Lenten service 7.30 p. m.
Friday, Junior Union 8.30 p. m.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Home-like. The church with a welcome. Rev. P. J. Scott pastor.
9.30 a. m. Junior Epworth League service in the vestry.
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10.30 o'clock. Morning worship. Preaching by pastor. Subject "Judgment."
12 o'clock Sunday school and Men's Brotherhood Class.
7.30 o'clock. Popular Sunday evening service. Subject of sermon a recent statement of E. Pres. Roosevelt: "I am Getting Very Tired of Publicity." An orchestra led by Geo. D. Whittier will furnish music at this service.
Friday evening prayer meeting in the vestry.

GINGLES' JINGLES

THE SAME OLD STORY.
He held her little hand in his, the moon looked down at them; he said "we two shall be as one, if you do word will say. This waiting game is awful, that to you I must confess; please may I entertain a hope your answer will be 'yes'?" I have a nice, large country home, believe me it's a beauty, with you as mistress it's a pipe-and-a-lucky coat. The porch is nice and roomy, there we'd sit and talk it over, and happiness would be our lot. I'm sure forever more. The birds would sing so sweetly and the busy bees would buzz, the lawn would look inviting covered over with emerald fuzz; with you and such surroundings, life would be one pleasant dream—this world would lose its gloom for me, and would much brighter seem." She said, "It's hard for me to say—I'm partly promised Tim, but I shall surely marry you if I don't marry him." "I have," said I, "a silver now, on pleasure trips we'd go." She said, "You have my answer now—it's positively 'no.'"
—L. H. Doyle

AMERICAN CORN BECOMES GUN POWDER.

Pierre Haute, Ind., March 21.—Approximately 25,000 bushels of corn are being consumed here daily to make 140,000 gallons of spirits, most of which are for the denaturing process used in the manufacture of powder and other explosives for the Allies in the European war. Three local distilleries are running at full capacity.

BELIEVE VILLA CLOSE TO CAPTURE.

Washington, March 25.—Dispatches from El Paso say that Villa is making his last stand against the combined Mexican and American forces at El Paso and that his capture is now a matter of hours. No confirmation from army officers has been received in support of this dispatch.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COLLEGE NOTES

New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., March 25.—A compound cattle feed composed of wheat bran and ground corn cobs, with just a dash of real corn it is one of the cheapest of the state experiment station in his annual examination of the feed stuffs for sale in New Hampshire. The little corn is enough however to satisfy the law and Mr. Curry can only warn the New Hampshire buyer that any compounded feeds for sale in the state are of inferior quality.

These feeds of course have some nutritive value but unfortunately they are sold for but a small amount less than are the good feeds. Mr. Curry in his examination this season has analyzed 315 samples which were sent to him by Andrew W. Collier, state commissioner of agriculture.

Mr. Curry says that when oat meal and rolled oats are manufactured there is a by-product of oat hulls. These are reground and reach the market as oat feed, bringing about \$16 a ton wholesale and \$26 a ton retail. These hulls are used as an adulterant and feeds which are low in present content and high in fibre cannot be recommended.

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Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

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MY S. C. WHITE LECHORNS, (descendants Cyphers Co.'s 283 Egg Free), won at Portsmouth, shows last two years, 1st and 2d pens, 1st cock and 1st hen. Stock for sale. Eggs \$1.50 per 15. H. C. Moody, Kittery, Me. he m21, 1w

LOST.
LOST—On Pleasant, Market or Congress streets, or in stores on same streets, sum of money. Finder return to this office and receive reward. he m21, 1w
LOST—Knight Templar Churn set with diamonds. Finder please leave at Gas Office and receive reward. he m21, 1w

U. S. NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE
In Effect Feb. 28, 1916.

WEEK DAYS.
Leave Navy Yard for Portsmouth—7.50, 8.35, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.40 p. m.; 12.45, 1.05, 1.35, 2.15, 2.45, 3.20, 4.10, 4.40, 5.00, 5.30, 6.00, 6.20, 6.55, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20 p. m.
Leave Portsmouth for Navy Yard—8.10, 8.45, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 12.55, 1.20, 1.50, 2.30, 3.00, 3.40, 4.20, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.10, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.10, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.10, 11.35 p. m.
Note—Enlisted men of the Navy and Marine Corps attached to this Naval Station are authorized to use the Navy Yard Ferry for all trips except those marked *.

SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS.
Leave Navy Yard—9.10, 10.00, 10.45, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 12.45, 1.45, 2.45, 3.45, 4.45, 5.20, 6.45, 8.20 p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—9.30, 10.07, 11.00, 12.05 a. m.; 12.35, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.35, 6.10, 6.40 p. m.
HOLIDAYS.
Leave Navy Yard—8.55, 7.20, 7.50, 8.20, 9.50, 10.20, 10.50, 11.20 p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—7.10, 7.35, 8.10, 9.35, 10.05, 10.35, 11.10, 11.35 p. m.
Additional Trips to Weed Day Schedule for Saturdays.
From June 15 to Sept. 16.
Leave Navy Yard—7.35 instead of 7.50 a. m.; 8.00 a. m.; 12.10* p. m.
Leave Portsmouth—7.45*, 12.00 a. m.; 12.20 instead of 12.15 p. m.

TIME TABLE
WINTER SCHEDULE
In Effect Dec. 8, 1915.
Subject to change without notice
Portsmouth Ferry Leaves, Connecticut With Cars
For Elliot, Dover and South Berwick—8.55, 7.55 a. m. and every hour until 9.55 p. m. Then "10.55 p. m. Sundays"—First trip 7.55 a. m.
Runs to Kennard's Corner regularly and to Rosemary Junction when there are passengers.
For Kittery and Kittery Point—8.11, 6.55 a. m. and every half hour until 10.55 p. m. Sundays—First trip, 7.51 a. m.
For York Village, York Harbor, York Beach and Ogunquit via P. K. & Y. Division—7.55, 10.25 a. m. *2.25, *4.25 p. m. Sundays—*9.55 a. m., *12.55 and 3.55 p. m.
Runs to York Beach only.
Runs to York Harbor Postoffice only.
For York Village, York Harbor, York Beach, Ogunquit, Wells, Kennebunk, Town House, Kennebunkport, Cape Porpoise, Biddeford, Sanford and Springvale via Rosemary—8.55, 8.55, 11.55 a. m., *12.55, 2.55, *4.55, 6.55, *8.55 and *10.55 p. m. Sundays—*7.55, 9.55, 11.55 a. m., *2.55, *4.55, 6.55 and *8.55 p. m.
Runs to York Beach only.
Runs to Biddeford only.
Runs to Ogunquit only.
Runs to York Harbor Postoffice Saturdays only.

ATLANTIC SHORE RAILWAY.
DECORATIONS
FURNISHED FOR ALL OCCASIONS
FOR WEDDINGS AND FUNERALS
R. CAPSTICK
ROGERS STREET

North Church, Sunday, 7.30 P. M.**SUBJECT:****"The Church and The New Era"****Speaker, Dr. Howard A. Bridgman,
Editor of the Congregationalist****THE WEATHER**

Forecast for Portsmouth and Vicinity—Fair today and Sunday; warmer.

Sun Rises..... 5.39
Sun Sets..... 6.02
Length of Day..... 12.23
High Tide..... 4.05 am, 4.46 pm
Moon Rises..... 12.19 am
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 6.32 pm**LOCAL DASHES**Great day for slush wading.
Bad hauling for the water wagon.
The Herald gives you the news every day.

The Spring fever made a start today.

Pollock are coming in thick in the river.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch, Tel. 115.

The hotel men had a delightful time at the Elks.

The appropriation bill may again be assailed.

The condition of the streets kept the city men on the jump today.

The fishing law for Great Bay looks like a poor piece of legislation.

Proprietor Patten of The Rockingham is a busy man these days.

J. H. Dowd & Co., marble and granite works, 52 Market street.

Portsmouth will be mighty glad to say "good night" to the snow.

The North Hampton line was opened yesterday by the snow plow.

Upholstering, hair mattresses renovated, Marjorie Bros. Tel. 670.

The First Company C. A. C. will be held up next Tuesday night.

The weather man says more snow on the way—where did he get it all?

Baiter Lunch Baskets

E. C. Matthews Hardware & Paint Co. March, with its severe combination of weather goes out a week from today.

Food sale by Ladies' Aid, M. E. church, Brown's Market, Saturday, at 3 p. m.

If the weather holds good on Sunday many will take a look at old ocean.

Doesn't it amuse you to read the "stereotyped personae" in some papers?

The junk man ought to get a good cargo of old rubbers on his first trip if nothing more.

Usual meetings at the Salvation Army, Sunday, at 3.15 and 7.30 p. m.; Sunday school at 1.15.

Looks like no call box system for the police department.—Why the hook for this department every year?

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day, E. Jameson and Sons, Tel. 246.

Mrs. E. M. Fisher, 313 State street, announces First Showing Spring Millinery, Tuesday and Wednesday, March twenty-eighth and twenty-ninth. Your inspection is invited. h m21, 4t

At a special meeting of Local 150, International Union of Steam and Operating Engineers, held March 24, 1916, the Union was instructed by John S. B. Davie, state labor commissioner, and Dr. John H. Neal, chairman of the state board of conciliation and arbitration, that the decision of the state board still stands, notwithstanding the recommendation of the sub-examining committee, appointed by said board to examine Mr. Rand. Therefore the Union has been sustained in every contention that they have made in this case.

Try a Want Ad for quick results.

APRIL DELINEATORS

With designs new in lines and fashion detail for the New Spring Fabrics.

STYLES FOR THE JUNIOR AND HER SMALL SISTER.

Styles to please every mother and her small daughter.

The vest is very new and so is the bell sleeve and the flare in the Coat and Skirt.

The farthingale is the logical development of the full skirt.

THE D. F. BORTHWICK STORE**WORKMAN HAS
NOSE BROKEN****Wallace Colby of Kittery Point
Has Serious Injury While
at Work on Navy Yard.**

While employed in the foundry at the navy yard on Friday, Wallace Colby, a workman, was seriously injured when a piece of the machine on which he was working flew off, striking him on the nose. He was taken to Kittery and from there to Kittery Point by team. He was taken into the residence of William H. Tobey and Dr. T. W. Luce of this city, who happened to be passing, was called to attend him. Upon examination it was found that Colby's nose was broken, and that there were other bruises on the face. The broken bones were set by the doctor, and later the injured man was removed to his home on the Norton road, Kittery Point.

**PORTLAND FIRM
GIVEN CONTRACT****New Army-Navy Home to Be
Erected by Cunningham
& Co.**

This contract for the construction of the new home for the Army and Navy and the Seaman's Aid Society has been awarded to F. W. Cunningham of Portland, Me. The bid of Cunningham and Company and the next bidder was only \$50 apart. The contract between the Association and Lord and Perkins was not executed. Cunningham and Company will have men on the job the first of the coming month. They are one of the best known contracting firms in New England and were among the successful bidders for the erecting of some of the buildings at New Hampshire college and also at Dartmouth college.

**EXPECT SUCCESS
FOR MITCHELL****No Other York County Candidate
Mentioned at Maine
Republican Convention.**

As a result of the various demonstrations at the recent Maine state Republican convention at Portland, some of which were spontaneous and others which were planned, it was made plain that the general trend was toward Col. Hale for the senatorial nomination, for F. H. Parkhurst of Bangor for the gubernatorial nomination, and for Horace Mitchell of Kittery for the first congressional nomination. It was interesting to note that no other York county candidate was mentioned, and a victory is easily conceded to Mr. Mitchell.

**SQUEEZED BY
MACHINERY****Employee of Chadwick & Trefethen Injured While
at Work.**

Warren Pickering of Newington, employed at the electrical shop of Chadwick & Trefethen on Bow street, met with an accident while at work on Friday which might have proved serious. Pickering was caught by a machine and squeezed against a wall of the building. Another employee saw his plight and as soon as possible stopped the machinery, releasing Pickering, who was in an exhausted condition. Dr. A. B. Sherburne was called and attended him. It is possible that Pickering may have received internal injury.

**FEATURE OF HOTEL
MANAGERS' BANQUET****Little Miss Louise Brown Captivated All by Her Wonderful Dancing.**

One of the features of the Hotel Managers' Association banquet on Friday was Miss Louise Brown, aged 9, in her artistic dance offering. This little miss captivated the entire crowd with her truly artistic dancing. Her first number was in military costume and with sword. She is handsome and does a dance that would do credit to any star of mature years. Her last number was a toe dance and acrobatic and brought every member to his feet. Following this was a concert by a girls' trio, piano, violin and cello. Henry Myers in a monologue kept

the gathering in an uproar with his funny stories and sayings.
Then two very clever girls, the Myers Sisters, in songs and dances.**WILL BUILD
NEXT MONTH****Boston & Maine to Erect
Machine Shop at Engine
House.**

The Boston & Maine railroad management has finally decided to rebuild the buildings destroyed by fire in this city in November, 1914, and bids are now in the hands of contractors for the construction. This building will be a repair machine shop to be used in connection with the present engine house. It will be a one-story affair, 11x33, of concrete and brick. The building will also contain an office for the foreman and a stock and tool room. The company expects to begin the work as soon as the bid is declared, which will be about April 1. The appropriation for this new work was made over a year ago and the delay in construction is said to have been occasioned by the failure of the officials to fully agree on a location.

THE HERALD HEARS

That Dan Cupid is shooting some of his bolts in Kittery.

That the winged boy has landed his dart with good results among the maidens of the town.

That it seems funny that he did not land many Kittery boys in his target practice.

That we ought to know the tax rate shortly.

That there is much speculation as to the figures.

That if the present appropriation bill is allowed to stand, the rate ought to be about the same as last year.

That the new police officer will likely be assigned to the West End beat.

That Captain Chandler of the fire department says he will show them some new moves in the coming bowling match on the West End alleys.

That the boys are wondering what the Captain has under his hat.

That Dan Cupid will soon land a few victims in the Owl Club.

That the man who allows his competitors to do all the advertising is certainly on the wrong end of the game.

That the board of assessors will soon be on the valuation trail.

That the hungry member of the Portsmouth Driving Club will not stand for the roast pig banquet on Friday.

**PROMINENT MANCHESTER MAN
DIES HERE**

Edwin P. Richardson of Manchester died Saturday, March 25, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Hazlett, in this city. He was born in Lowell, Mass., April 21, 1823. He moved to Manchester in 1847.

The senior class of the York High school spent considerable time in this city on Friday on their way to Washington.

**OLYMPIA
THEATRE****High Class Features!**

The bill for the last two days of the week is one of exceptional strength, featuring such stars as Robert Harron, Norma Talmadge, Sam Bernard, Robert Henley, Harry Carey and Jane Novak.

"THE MISSING LINKS"
Is a Triangle Film play with Robert Harron and in which Norma Talmadge makes her Triangle debut in a vivid and dramatic picture that vibrates with tense interest.**SAM BERNARD IN
"BECAUSE HE LOVED
HER"**
Is a rollicking, riotous Keystone comedy in two reels.**"GRAFT"**
Ninth Episode entitled
"The Insurance Swindlers"
In this stirring installment you will see how the evil machinations of the powerful Insurance Trust are frustrated. Do not miss this episode as it is one of the best, and most thrilling.

Matinee, 2.00; Evening, 7.00 and 9.15

Mary Pickford in "Dawn of Tomorrow," Paramount picture in five reels; Henry Woodruff and Tauru Aoki, the great Japanese actress, in "The Beckoning Flame," Triangle play in five reels; Joe Jackson in "Modern Enchanted," Keystone comedy in four reels, are the coming features for Monday and Tuesday.

Comino-Theda Bara in "The Galley Slave."

**HAS SKULL
FRACTURED****Exeter Man Struck on Head by
Falling Tree.**

Frank E. White, laborer, of Exeter, received a fractured skull Friday afternoon while at work chopping in the woods of North Hampton. White was struck by a falling tree.

He was taken to the Exeter Cottage hospital where it was reported that although of a serious nature, he was doing well. He is a resident of Dartmouth street.

A CORRECTION.

The announcement that the inspection of the First Company, C. A. C., would be held at the new armory on Friday night was incorrect and should have read Tuesday evening, March 23. At this time the public are invited to inspect the new state quarters.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fleisher of Kittery Point announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Adelaide Amazon Bond to Mr. Wallace Colby. The marriage will take place in the near future.

TALKS TO UNION.

Labor Commissioner John S. B. Davie addressed a meeting of the Steam and Operating Engineers Union No. 150 on Friday night.

**THE SCENIC
HIGH STREET****Friday and Saturday.
MOVING PICTURES AND
DANCING AS USUAL.****TONIGHT IS THE
BIG NIGHT****PICTURE PROGRAM.**

"Harvest" is a three-reel Biograph drama taken from the play of the same name.

"The Destroyer" is an S. & A. drama in three reels telling a story of great heart interest. The other pictures will be announced later.

Friday night, 7.00 to 10.30; Saturday matinee at 2.15; Saturday night 7.00 to 11.00.

Islington Street**FOR SALE
8-Room House
\$1500****BUTLER & MARSHALL,
5 Market Street****WALDEN'S
MARKET**

VAUGHAN ST.

OUR PRICES LOWEST IN THE CITY
Coffee..... 23c lb; 5 lbs. \$1.00
Salt spararib..... 3 lbs. 25c
Print butter..... 33c lb.
Salt Pork..... 8 lbs. \$1.00
Good peas..... 2 cans 15c
Fancy fowl..... 22c lb.
Smoked shoulders..... 13c lb.
Legs of lamb..... 20c lb.
Good corn..... 2 cans 15c
Stickney & Poor's Cr. Tartar..... 12c pkg.
Condensed milk..... 10c can.
Bacon, machine sliced..... 18c lb.
Lenox soap..... 7 bars 25c; 30 bars \$1.00
Boiled ham..... 30c lb.
Corned Shoulders..... 13c lb.**For Sale**

House with seven rooms and bath, furnace heat, electric lights and gas, hardwood floors, set tubs, coal and gas range, garage; lot 75x113; fruit. In excellent location. PRICE \$4,000

FRED GARDNER,
Globe Building

More Spring Suits for boys have arrived and all have extra trousers. No hunting around to try and match the jacket when the pants "give out" as in the old days, but just "break out" the other pair. Both pairs are lined throughout which adds to the wear considerably; enough so that they will "wear out" the jacket as the saying is. Beginning at \$4.00; (lien \$5.00, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.50.

Henry Peyser & Son**"Selling the Tops of the Period."****Easter
Opening**

This year finds our store of Easter cards, novelties, etc., larger and more beautiful than ever.

YOU ARE INVITED

to come in and inspect the line. Early shoppers are always the fortunate ones.

AT MONTGOMERY'S**OPPOSITE POST OFFICE****BAY STATE LIQUID PAINT
IS NEW ENGLAND MADE**

Which in itself is sufficient argument in favor of its quality. Made of pure white lead and zinc and tinted with the strongest colors thoroughly ground and mixed with pure linseed oil.

Pryor-Davis Co.**DISTRIBUTORS FOR PORTSMOUTH****At The Old Hardware Store**

Telephone 509. 36 Market Street.

**WE WANT YOU TO SEE OUR
NEW SPRING SUITINGS**

We believe our spring suitings are the very best that we have ever shown; we can't tell you much about them, but we want you to come in and see them. We have some models made up showing the latest styles.

**WOOD, THE TAILOR
MAKER OF MEN'S CLOTHES**

Drop Into

Downing's Sea Grill**FOR YOUR LUNCH.**

Try their pastry—the best in the city.

Take home a bottle of those delicious oysters fresh from the oyster grounds three times a week.

TO LET.

Three nice, large offices, well lighted and heated, Herald and Chronicle building. Enquire at this office.

F. S. TOWLE, M. D.**Physician and Surgeon****350 State St., Portsmouth****OFFICE HOURS**

From 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; 6 to 8 p. m.